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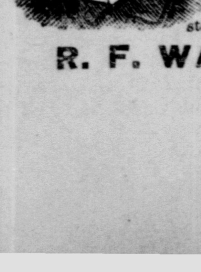
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[First publication April 19th.]

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles B. Clouse, and his wife, Martha A. Clouse, mortgagors, to George W. Thayer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of October, 1892, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1892, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book "E" of Mortgages, on Page 409, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter, and Lots Seven and Eight, (sometimes described as the North half of the Southeast quarter) in Section Twenty-two, Township Forty-three, Range Thirty-two, in Crow Wing County, and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Crow Wing County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Brainerd, in said County and State, on the 4th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Twelve Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 18th, A. D. 1895.

GEORGE W. THAYER,
Mortgagee.

LINDBERGH, BLANCHARD & LINDBERGH,
Attorneys,
Little Falls, Minnesota.

Notice.

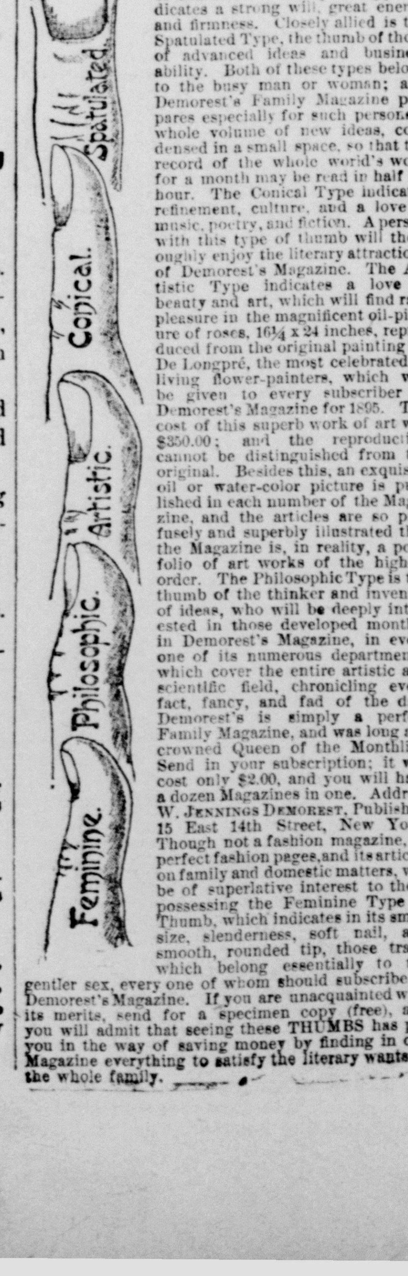
U. S. LAND OFFICE,
ST. CLOUD, MINN., April 30, 1895.

Complaint having been entered at this Office by Amanda Gates against Charles Ahlgrim for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 16812, dated June 13th, 1894, upon Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Section 28, Township 136, Range 28, in Crow Wing County, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Sam. H. Parker, clerk of the district court, at Brainerd, Minn., on the 21st day of June, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will take place on June 28th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when the testimony taken as above ordered, will be examined and a decision rendered thereupon.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.



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BLIXT the real murderer of Catharine Ging gets a life sentence while Hayward hangs. The necks of both should stretch hemp.

IT should be the business of every citizen of Brainerd to see that every person in Crow Wing county is counted when the census is taken next month.

THE assignment of N. P. Clark, the St. Cloud lumberman, who was supposed to be one of the wealthiest men in Minnesota, is much to be regretted.

IF the American silver dollar or notes issued on it are not redeemable in gold, will the Journal explain why it is worth twice as much as a Mexican dollar which contains more pure silver?

THE Minneapolis Journal appears to have some secret desire to belittle the state game and fish commission and charges are made by that paper that someone not entitled to it got $1200 for allowing illegal fishing at the lake of the woods. This is exactly in line with the policy of that paper towards the commission for some months past. Sensational reports were published to the effect that big money was being made by the executive agent in catching and selling moose to eastern parties, but the investigation proved that the statement was false and malicious and the publication of the report was caused by parties who had grievances against the men who were endeavoring to enforce the game laws. The members of the commission should take active steps in the matter of requiring the Minneapolis Journal to divulge the name of the party who is claimed to have received this bribe or admit the report is unfounded. Executive Agent Fullerton, recently appointed, has made some statements according to Duluth telegrams, that he should be compelled to prove or step out and down and make room for some other man who does not believe in giving the men who are violating the game laws a clue to his actions by publishing in advance who his wardens are, and just what they are doing and intend to do. There is no doubt but that the position is a hard one to fill to the satisfaction of all, but there is a way of conducting the office so that good results will follow. Since the commission was formed, the protection given to the game and fish has resulted in an increase in a marked degree all over the state where in former years there was wholesale slaughter in every section where there was game to kill or fish to catch. It may be that the Minneapolis Journal can bring about the abolition of the game commission, but if such is the case certainly better proof of the uselessness of the commission will have to be produced than the rot it has been publishing during the past four months.

THE Journal says that our silver dollars are not redeemable in gold, but we must insist the law says differently. In the first place these dollars containing but 47 cents worth of silver are by law made receivable for all debts due the government equally with the gold dollar, which contains 100 cents. This makes the purchasing power of the silver dollar equal to the gold dollar notwithstanding the difference in their intrinsic value, and virtually is a redemption in gold, because they are made by law equal in paying power with a gold dollar. Besides, Sec. 2, Chap. 708, Revised Statutes says: "That upon the demand of the holder of any of the treasury notes (notes issued on silver in the treasury) herein provided for, the secretary of the treasury shall redeem such notes in gold or silver coin at his discretion, *it being the established policy of the United State to maintain the two metals on a parity with each other.*" Thus it will be seen that the law directly provides for a redemption of a portion of our silver circulation in gold. True, the law says that these notes may be redeemed in gold or silver at the discretion of the secretary, but the succeeding clause "it being the established policy of the United States to maintain the two metals on a parity" take that discretion from him for the reason that if they were redeemed in silver the parity of the metals would not be maintained. This is not simply an assertion of ours, but the view of President Cleveland himself, who says in his message to congress in August of 1893: "This declaration so controls the action of the secretary of the treasury as to prevent his exercising the discretion nominally vested in him, if by such action the parity between gold and silver may be disturbed. Manifestly a refusal by the secretary to pay these treasury notes in gold, if demanded, would necessarily result in their discredit and depreciation as obligations payable only in silver, and would destroy the parity between the two metals by establishing a discrimination in favor of gold."

He further says:

"The policy necessarily adopted of paying these notes in gold has not spared the gold reserve of $100,000,000 long ago set aside by the government for the redemption of other notes, for this fund has already been subjected to the payment of new obligations amounting to $150,000,000 on account of silver."

Payment of $150,000,000 in gold on account of silver, and yet the Journal says silver is not redeemable in gold. We regret we are compelled to place the opinions and declarations of such poor authority as President Cleveland against the superior intelligence and knowledge of the Journal editor, but justice compels us to do it, and we fancy that Mr. Cleveland's statements will probably have as much weight as those of the Journal.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners, Meeting Held May 7th, 1895.

Proceeding board Crow Wing county commissioners, meeting held May 7th, 1895.

All members present but Commissioner Bubar.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Proposition to pay 50 per cent of back taxes on Lots 7 to 12 inclusive, Block 46, was accepted.

Valuation of Lot 9, Block 47, was reduced $700 for 1893, to equalize it with 1892 valuation.

Mortgage of $500 assessed to Dan Caffrey was abated.

J. Brooks was allowed $5.00 for temporary aid, one month only.

Mrs. Wm. Durham's allowance was reduced to $5 per month.

Taxes on Lots 1 to 6, Block 128, were reduced to $58.38 for 1893.

The following bills were allowed:

Brainerd Dispatch, printing, etc	$23 40
A. Mahlum, making list of mortgages	37 00
John T. Frater, expressage and postage	18 04
I. T. Dean, viewing remains of 2 persons	10 00
Losey & Dean, burying three persons	38 50
H. Spalding, fees state ceses	166 30
Lyman Arms, surveying roads	20 00
Geo. Merriott, surveying roads	8 00
H. Spalding, boarding prisoners	83 22
T. McMaster, goods poor	23 29
T. McMaster, goods court house	13 70
S. H. Parker, fees clerk of court March term	217 17
Herman Fleisher, witness fees justice court	3 35

Board adjourned until 2 p. m.

Lots 16, 17 and 18, Block 129, were reduced $150.

Application of Geo. Sisler and A. Reinthal for liquor licenses, were laid over until next meeting.

The following appropriations were made from road and bridge fund to repair roads, to-wit:

$50 to repair Cunningham road in 45-30.

$50 to repair Bay Lake road near Gabion's.

$50 to repair corduroy on south Mille Lacs road.

$50 to repair Mud Lake and Brainerd road, money to be expended by I. N. Farrell.

$35 south Bay Lake road, money to be expended by G. A. Hunt.

$75 Brainerd and Deerwood road, in Town 46, R. 29, Commissioner Patterson to expend same.

Proposition of Mrs. C. Sundine to pay 50 per cent of back taxes on Lots 19 to 24, Block 77, was accepted.

Valuations of N. E. ¼ and N. W. ¼, of Section 14, Town 45, R. 29, was reduced $200 each.

An appropriation of $200 was made from poor fund in favor of Ed. Arnstedt, who was disabled for life during forest fires, to help him pay his physician.

The following bills were allowed:

Adam Schultz, witness fees justice court	$2 96
Wilhelmina Schultz, witness fees justice court	2 96
John L. Berg, goods for poor	3 00
John Stichen, witness fees justice court	1 50
Campbell & Smith, goods court house	1 88
H. K. Lenhart, justice of the peace, Daggett Brook	40 25
Slipp Bros., goods poor farm	3 95
A Angel, goods poor farm	5 65
Mahlum & Valentine, goods poor	5 00
G. S. McCulloch, overseer poor farm	50 00
G. S. McCulloch, money advanced as overseer	3 75
Knute Olson, work at farm	22 00
Koop Bros., goods poor	13 00
M. Hagberg, goods farm	37 59
do goods poor	7 00
J. L. Camp, medical service poor	18 00
J. L. Camp, medical services poor	26 00
J. L. Camp, medical service poor	16 00
J. L. Camp, board and care of Stephen Kiley	11 70
J. L. Camp, board and care of Nels Johnson	14 44
J. L. Camp, board and care Ed Vincent	35 10
H. Patterson, taking sick person to Brainerd	3 75
H. Patterson, viewing roads	12 00
G. M. Young, surveying county roads	3 00
Robert Maghan, surveying county roads	6 00
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	3 10
Brown, Treacy & Co., books and stationery	4 50
Brown, Treacy & Co., books and stationery	25
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	10 50
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	6 75
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	54 20
City of Brainerd, electric lights months of April and May	15 54
Brainerd Water Co., water rent quarter ending July '95	25 00
Joel Smith, attending three meetings	10 20
John Peterson, surveying county road	6 00
Chris Rushmeyer, planks for culverts	25 00
M. McFadden, premium insurance on ware house at farm	16 80
H. K. Lenhart, justice of the peace, jury trial at Daggett Brook	20 02
Chas. Otto, cinders court house	10 50
H. Harrison, fighting forest fires	5 00
M. K. Swartz, goods court house	75
M. K. Swartz, drugs poor	12 10

An allowance of $5.00 per month was made in favor of Ed Arnstedt until further orders.

Taxes on part lot 1, section 34, town 45 range 31 were reduced to $4.39 for 1893.

Petition of citizens of town 135-27 to be detached from school district No. 35 was granted.

Petition of citizens of town 43 range 30 to organize a school district to be composed of sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18 and nw¼ of 10, was received and hearing on same set for June 4th.

Report of Supt. of schools was accepted and placed on file.

An appropriation of $35 was made from road and bridge fund to ditch on Section 29, 44-31.

An abatement of $215 on Lots 13, 14 and 15, Block 4, 2nd addition, was granted.

South 150 feet of N. W. ¼, of Block 237, was reduced to $150 for 1894.

Bond of M. Hagberg in the sum of $2,400, as grass seed agent, was accepted, and money ordered paid over to him.

Report of grand jury was accepted and placed on file.

Acreage of Lots 1 and 2, and part S. W. ¼ N. W. ¼, of Section 19, Town 45-30, was ordered corrected according to survey.

West 7 acres of south 20 acres of N. W. ¼ N. E. ¼, Section 19, Town 45, R. 30, was cut down to 6½ acres.

The following bills were allowed:

W. W. Craig, goods furnished poor	$10 00
Joel Smith, attending to grass seed	12 00
H. Patterson, attending to grass seed	14 30
A. P. Farrar, attending to grass seed	9 00
Henry Mahle, attending to grass seed	6 00
Oscar Wicks, trees planted around court house	28 00

Robert Magnan was appointed road overseer of E. ½ of T. 45, R. 28.

Petition of citizens of Towns 44-29 and 44-30, to open a road between Sections 1 to 6, to connect Bay Lake with Mille Lacs road, was granted, and survey ordered.

Board adjourned until first Tuesday in June.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Cass County Commissioners Proceedings Meeting Held Monday, May 6th.

All members present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Petition of citizens of town 133-29 and 133-30 to open a road near Hole-in-the-Day Lake was favorably received and Commissioner's Hardy and Bryant appointed to view the same.

Petition of citizens of town 134-30 and 135-30 was favorably received and Commissioners Ellis and Hardy appointed to view same.

Petitions of citizens of town 134-31, were granted.

The following bills were allowed:

Neal Trolson, work on roads	$42 00
A. J. Warner, work on roads	80 75
Geo. F. Mathews, work on roads	64 35
W. E. Greene, work on roads	1 50
J. J. Ellis, viewing roads and meetings	49 70
W. W. Bryant, viewing roads and meetings	40 10
G. L. Hardy, viewing roads and meetings	28 50

Motion made and carried that a committee of the whole view and act on all outstanding road petitions.

Board adjourned until the first Monday in June.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

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Money to loan on city property.
J. R. SMITH, agent.

Parties Using Water for Lawn and Garden Sprinkling, Please Take Notice.

The season for lawn and garden sprinkling commences May 1st, and extends to October 1st. To those of our patrons who desire to use water for this purpose, we will say that the permits for this season have some advantages over those issued last year. The permits are now ready and can be obtained by applying at the Company's office, No. 6, First National Bank Block. Parties using water for this purpose after the first of May without a permit will have the supply shut off without notice. This rule will be strictly enforced. The Company does not compell its patrons to use water for this purpose, but those using it must pay for it. Those violating the rules must take the consequences and put the blame where it belongs.

MINNESOTA WATER WORKS CO.

Housekeeping outfits on the installment plan at the Hoffman Bazaar.—tf.

Wall paper at D. M. Clark & Co's

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All kinds of first-class groceries at M. Hagberg's, Odd Fellow's Block.

How's This for a Record.

Sherwood's Cough Syrup has been manufactured and sold in Brainerd for over 20 years on a positive guarantee and not a bottle has been returned.

Liquor Law Changes.

Several liquor laws were passed by the legislature which are important in their nature, and which are heralded with much favor by the temperance people, among the most important being the following, according to the News:

One law prohibits saloons from selling, giving away or disposing of liquor in any manner to children. This law is to stop the practice, so prevalent in the cities, of sending children to saloons after buckets and pitchers of beer.

Another law prohibits the sale of liquor on the state fair grounds; another prohibits county commissioners or city councils from granting license to any person to open a saloon within 300 feet of any school house.

One of the most important measures is the one which makes it unlawful to dispose of liquors in any quantity whatever, in towns that have voted "no license."

S. F. No. 70, authorizes villages to use all or part of the license money, for building school houses, or for any school purpose, or for repairing roads or bridges leading into the village.

Under the provision of S. F. No. 346, a relative, friend or guardian may make complaint against an inebriate before the judge of probate, and the judge may commit the person to a special department of the Rochester asylum for treatment.

H. F. No. 185, makes it possible for any person to take the gold cure. Upon proper application, the victim being willing, the probate judge may order him sent to a gold cure institute, and the county advances the money. The victim is to repay the county, but has five years to do so, giving his note without interest.

The World's Drinks.

Beer was the universal drink of the English until the introduction of tea and coffee about 1650. Siberians prepare an intoxicating beverage from mushrooms. In Sweden an apetizer is made from common fennel. The word brandy is from the Dutch "Brandwijn"–burnt wine. Maraschine is distilled from cherries, the fruit and seeds being crushed together. Absinthe is an alcoholate composed of anise, coriander and fonnel, flavored with wormwood and colored with indigo and sulphate of copper. Curacoa is made by digesting orange peel in sweetened spirits and flavoring with cinnamon, cloves or mace. Kischenwasser is distilled from cherries. Vermuth is composed of white wine, angelica, absinthe, and aromatic herbs. Kimmel is brandy sweetened and flavored with coriander and caraway seeds. Tea has been grown and used in the Est for ages, from India to Japan. Coffee was introduced into Persia in 875, and into Europe in 1615. Cocoa was sent to Europe from Mexico by the Spaniards in 1520. Eating is more important than drinking, and especially on a journey. When traveling, you should take the Burlington, whose dining cars offer all the delicacies of the season, exquisitely prepared, and are operated on the cafe plan, so that the patron pays only for his own selection. Many other advantages and attractions of the Burlington Route can be learned by addressing W. J. C. Kenyon, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul. Minn.

A base ball and bat given away with every boy's suit of clothes by J. F. McGinnis & Co.

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A six room dwelling, modern improvements, in good repairs and city water.

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See J. M. Elder for hay stumpage on Northern Pacific and St. Paul & Northern Pacific lands.

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To the Traveling Public.

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MINNESOEA'S FUTURE GREATNESS.

Several Thousand Acres to be Made into a Summer Resort at Hubert Lake.

Sunday's Minneapolis Tribune says: A day or two since the papers announced that a party of St. Paul gentlemen had gone up Bimidji lake in Beltrami county for the purpose of locating a town site. The intimation was that the Brainerd & Northern road would probably reached that point within a short time. A gentleman who is familiar with the affairs of this road, but who does not wish to be named, says: "I do not think—in fact, I have reason to know—that the Brainerd & Northern will not be built to Bimidji lake this year. It is true that the road is now being extended in a northwesterly direction from Lothrop, its present terminus. As a preliminary to this extension, a bridge 2,000 feet long is now being built across an arm of Leech lake just beyond Lothrop. My information is to the effect that the extension of the main line this year will not exceed eight miles in length. At a distance beyond the bridge a branch will be constructed in a southwesterly direction towards Park Rapids. The object of this extension, no doubt, is to reach a lake in which T. B. Walker has several million feet of logs. These logs were up in three years ago, it is said, under a promise from J. J. Hill that he would build a road there, when it was the intention to erect a saw mill at that point. Mr. Hill graded the line, but changed his mind and did not lay the track. Mr. Walker now finds if necessary to do something to save his logs, hence this extension. This, I have reason to think, is the real situation.

"I have been up in that region recently. It is capable of great development. The Tribune has recently pointed out the situation with great clearness. The northern part of the state is soon to experience a boom. The present draw back is in the fact that so much land is owned there by so few parties. This, in a great measure, pine land, and the owners, who are Minneapolis men, are not willing to sell it until they have cut the timber. They have, however, large tracts which have already been cut over, and other tracts which they never will cut. This land, it seems to me, they should place on the market, in order to hasten the development of the country. It would vastly increase the value of what they have left.

"At the point on Leech Lake beyond Lothrop, where the branch will be started towards Park Rapids, there is a fine townsite. I believe it is owned by T. B. Walker. I think it is quite certain that there will be a good town there, and it may possibly be made the county seat of Cass county.

"What Minneapolis wants with regard to this country is the extension of the Great Northern from Milaca to Brainerd. I regard that as being the greatest move which this city could make in the way of railroad connections. It would give us at once direct connections with the upper country, and tend to divert business here which is in great danger of going to Duluth. It needs only a glance at the map to establish the conviction in any man's mind that this is true. When the Brainerd & Northern was organized, this was the intention, but the road fell into the possession of pine land owners, who are at present satisfied to let this connection remain in abeyance. I have no doubt that the road will be ultimately absorbed by the Great Northern. In that case it is probable that the connection may be made.

"As to fishing, the lakes on the line of the Brainerd & Northern surpass anything I ever saw. They are full of white fish, black bass, and other varieties. Leech Lake is particularly so. A gentleman from Minneapolis by the name of F. Thorpe, has recently purchased several thousand acres of land at Hubert Lake, just north of Brainerd. He is planning to build a summer resort there, with beautiful drives and parks. It is said that he has the necessary means with which to carry out his plans."

Before buying a bicycle be sure and call at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Removal Of Ticket Office Of The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad. "Nickle Plate Road."

On May 1st the Chicago City Ticket Office of the New York Chicago & St. Louis R. R., (Nickel Plate Road) will be moved to 111 Adams Street, opposite the Post Office.

J. Y. CALAHAN,
General Agent.

Liquor License.

To the Honorable Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners.

GENTLEMEN: I hereby make application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors at the Station of Lothrop, in the County of Cass, for one year.

GEORGE B. SISLER.

Hearing on above will be had at the County Auditor's office on Tuesday, May 7th, 1895.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

Liquor License.

To the Board of County Commissioners, Crow Wing County.

GENTLEMEN: I hereby apply for a license to sell intoxicating liquors at Backus Station, in Cass county, for the period of one year.

A. RHEINTHAL.

Hearing on above will be had at County Auditor's office on Tuesday, May 7th, 1895.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor,
Crow Wing County.

Legal Notices.

First publication April 12th.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss

In Probate Court, Special Term, April 8th, 1895.

In the Matter of the Estate of Johann Theviot, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of H. J. Spencer, Executor, of the estate of said Johann Theviot, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has tendered his resignation of said trust, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the making of a final order accepting such resignation.

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard, by this Court, on Monday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office in the County Court House, in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minn., the 8th day of April, A. D. 1895.

[Seal.] By the Court:
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

[First Publication April 5th.]

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. }

In Probate Court, General Term, April 1st, 1895.

In the matter of the estate of Alfred Bogren, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel E. Mooers, of Ft. Ripley, Minnesota, representing, among other things, that Alfred Bogren, late of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1895, at Crow Wing County, Minnesota, died intestate, and being a resident of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is one of the creditors of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to him granted.

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before this Court on Monday, the 29th day of April, A. D. 1895, at 11 o'clock a. m., at Brainerd, in said County.

Ordered further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased, and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895.

{SEAL} By the Court,
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

C. E. CHIPERFIELD,
Attorney for Petitioner.

(First publication April 5th.)

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. }

In Probate Court, General Term, April 1st, 1895.

In the matter of the estate of Magly Johnson, Deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased being this day granted unto Henry Mahle, of said County.

It is ordered, That all claims and demands of all persons against said estate be presented to this Court, for examination and allowance, at the Probate Office in County Court House, on the following days, viz:

Commencing on Monday, April 8th, 1895, and for six months thereafter on the first Monday in each month.

It is further ordered, That six months from the date hereof be allowed to creditors to present their claims against said estate, at the expiration of which time all claims not presented to said Court, or not proven to its satisfaction, shall be forever barred, unless for cause shown, further time be allowed.

Ordered further, That notice of the time and place of the hearing and examination of said claims and demands shall be given by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to the day appointed for such examination, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895.

{SEAL} By the Court,
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

(First publication May 3.)

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss

To J. Lamont:

Take notice that the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to wit: The SE¼ of section 30, town 44, range 30, was on the 12th day of October, A. D., 1893, sold for the sum of Sixty-six dollars and seventy-one cents, pursuant to a real estate tax judgment entered in the district court in the said county of Crow Wing on the eleventh day of September, A. D. 1893, in proceedings to enforce payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate prior to the years 1879 and 1889, pursuant to Chapter 150 of the General Laws of 1893, in the said county of Crow Wing. That the amount required to redeem such lands from such sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the said sum of one hundred thirty-three dollars and forty-one cents, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent per month from said 12th day of October, 1893, to the time of such redemption, and the time within which said land can be redeemed from said sale will expire sixty days after service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in manner prescribed by section 37 of Chapter 6, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1877, and amendments thereto.

Dated at Brainerd this 29th day of April, A. D. 1895.

[SEAL.] LOUIS TACHE,
Auditor Crow Wing County, Minn

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Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
ST. CLOUD, MINN., April 30, 1895.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Willshire Daugherty against John L. Henton for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 14128, dated March 9th, 1888, upon the E½ NE¼ and E½ SE¼ section 30, township 43, range 30, in Crow Wing County, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Sam. H. Parker, clerk of the district court at Brainerd, Minn., on the 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will take place on June 28, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when the testimony taken as above ordered, will be examined and a decision rendered thereupon.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

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No. 12, Little Falls and Dakota train, departs at 6:30 a. m.

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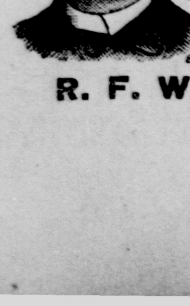
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Chicago, Ill.

[First publication April 19th.]

Mortgage Forcelosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles B. Clouse, and his wife, Martha A. Clouse, mortgagors, to George W. Thayer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of October, 1892, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1892, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book "E" of Mortgages, on Page 409, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter, and Lots Seven and Eight, (sometimes described as the North half of the Southeast quarter) in Section Twenty-two, Township Forty-three, Range Thirty-two, in Crow Wing County, and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Crow Wing County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Brainerd, in said County and State, on the 4th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Twelve Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 18th, A. D. 1895.

GEORGE W. THAYER,
Mortgagee.

LINDBERGH, BLANCHARD & LINDBERGH,
Attorneys,
Little Falls, Minnesota.

Notice.

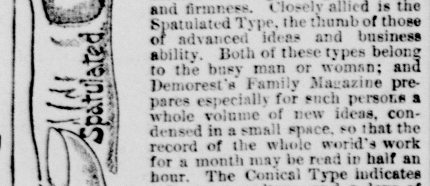
U. S. LAND OFFICE,
ST. CLOUD, MINN., April 30, 1895.

Complaint having been entered at this Office by Amanda Gates against Charles Ahlgrim for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 16812, dated June 13th, 1894, upon Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Section 28, Township 136, Range 28, in Crow Wing County, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Sam. H. Parker, clerk of the district court, at Brainerd, Minn., on the 21st day of June, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will take place on June 28th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when the testimony taken as above ordered, will be examined and a decision rendered thereupon.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.





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BLIXT the real murderer of Catharine Ging gets a life sentence while Hayward hangs. The necks of both should stretch hemp.

IT should be the business of every citizen of Brainerd to see that every person in Crow Wing county is counted when the census is taken next month.

THE assignment of N. P. Clark, the St. Cloud lumberman, who was supposed to be one of the wealthiest men in Minnesota, is much to be regretted.

IF the American silver dollar or notes issued on it are not redeemable in gold, will the Journal explain why it is worth twice as much as a Mexican dollar which contains more pure silver?

THE Minneapolis Journal appears to have some secret desire to belittle the state game and fish commission and charges are made by that paper that someone not entitled to it got $1200 for allowing illegal fishing at the lake of the woods. This is exactly in line with the policy of that paper towards the commission for some months past. Sensational reports were published to the effect that big money was being made by the executive agent in catching and selling moose to eastern parties, but the investigation proved that the statement was false and malicious and the publication of the report was caused by parties who had grievances against the men who were endeavoring to enforce the game laws. The members of the commission should take active steps in the matter of requiring the Minneapolis Journal to divulge the name of the party who is claimed to have received this bribe or admit the report is unfounded. Executive Agent Fullerton, recently appointed, has made some statements according to Duluth telegrams, that he should be compelled to prove or step out and down and make room for some other man who does not believe in giving the men who are violating the game laws a clue to his actions by publishing in advance who his wardens are, and just what they are doing and intend to do. There is no doubt but that the position is a hard one to fill to the satisfaction of all, but there is a way of conducting the office so that good results will follow. Since the commission was formed, the protection given to the game and fish has resulted in an increase in a marked degree all over the state where in former years there was wholesale slaughter in every section where there was game to kill or fish to catch. It may be that the Minneapolis Journal can bring about the abolition of the game commission, but if such is the csae certainly better proof of the uselessness of the commission will have to be produced than the rot it has been publishing during the past four months.

THE Journal says that our silver dollars are not redeemable in gold, but we must insist the law says differently. In the first place these dollars containing but 47 cents worth of silver are by law made receivable for all debts due the government equally with the gold dollar, which contains 100 cents. This makes the purchasing power of the silver dollar equal to the gold dollar notwithstanding the difference in their intrinsic value, and virtually is a redemption in gold, because they are made by law equal in paying power with a gold dollar. Besides, Sec. 2, Chap. 708, Revised Statutes says: "That upon the demand of the holder of any of the treasury notes (notes issued on silver in the treasury) herein provided for, the secretary of the treasury shall redeem such notes in gold or silver coin at his discretion, *it being the established policy of the United State to maintain the two metals on a parity with each other.*" Thus it will be seen that the law directly provides for a redemption of a portion of our silver circulation in gold. True, the law says that these notes may be redeemed in gold or silver at the discretion of the secretary, but the succeeding clause "it being the established policy of the United States to maintain the two metals on a parity" take that discretion from him for the reason that if they were redeemed in silver the parity of the metals would not be maintained. This is not simply an assertion of ours, but the view of President Cleveland himself, who says in his message to congress in August of 1893: "This declaration so controls the action of the secretary of the treasury as to prevent his exercising the discretion nominally vested in him, if by such action the parity between gold and silver may be disturbed. Manifestly a refusal by the secretary to pay these treasury notes in gold, if demanded, would necessarily result in their discredit and depreciation as obligations payable only in silver, and would destroy the parity between the two metals by establishing a discrimination in favor of gold."

He further says:

"The policy necessarily adopted of paying these notes in gold has not spared the gold reserve of $100,000,000 long ago set aside by the government for the redemption of other notes, for this fund has already been subjected to the payment of new obligations amounting to $150,000,000 on account of silver."

Payment of $150,000,000 in gold on account of silver, and yet the Journal says silver is not redeemable in gold. We regret we are compelled to place the opinions and declarations of such poor authority as President Cleveland against the superior intelligence and knowledge of the Journal editor, but justice compels us to do it, and we fancy that Mr. Cleveland's statements will probably have as much weight as those of the Journal.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners, Meeting Held May 7th, 1895.

Proceeding board Crow Wing county commissioners, meeting held May 7th, 1895.

All members present but Commissioner Bubar.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Proposition to pay 50 per cent of back taxes on Lots 7 to 12 inclusive, Block 46, was accepted.

Valuation of Lot 9, Block 47, was reduced $700 for 1893, to equalize it with 1892 valuation.

Mortgage of $500 assessed to Dan Caffrey was abated.

J. Brooks was allowed $5.00 for temporary aid, one month only.

Mrs. Wm. Durham's allowance was reduced to $5 per month.

Taxes on Lots 1 to 6, Block 128, were reduced to $58.38 for 1893.

The following bills were allowed:

Brainerd Dispatch, printing, etc.	$23 40
A. Mahlum, making list of mortgages	37 00
John T. Frater, expressage and postage	18 14
I. T. Dean, viewing remains of 2 persons	10 00
Losey & Dean, burying three persons	38 50
H. Spalding, fees state ceses	166 30
Lyman Arms, surveying roads	20 00
Geo. Merriott, surveying roads	8 00
H. Spalding, boarding prisoners	83 22
T. McMaster, goods poor	23 29
T. McMaster, goods court house	13 70
S. H. Parker, fees clerk of court March term	217 17
Herman Fleisher, witness fees justice court	3 35

Board adjourned until 2 p. m.

Lots 16, 17 and 18, Block 129, were reduced $150.

Application of Geo. Sisler and A. Reinthal for liquor licenses, were laid over until next meeting.

The following appropriations were made from road and bridge fund to repair roads, to-wit:

$50 to repair Cunningham road in 45-30.

$50 to repair Bay Lake road near Gabiou's.

$50 to repair corduroy on south Mille Lacs road.

$50 to repair Mud Lake and Brainerd road, money to be expended by I. N. Farrell.

$35 south Bay Lake road, money to be expended by G. A. Hunt.

$75 Brainerd and Deerwood road, in Town 46, R. 29, Commissioner Patterson to expend same.

Proposition of Mrs. C. Sundine to pay 50 per cent of back taxes on Lots 19 to 24, Block 77, was accepted.

Valuations of N. E. ¼ and N. W. ¼, of Section 14, Town 45, R. 29, was reduced $200 each.

An appropriation of $200 was made from poor fund in favor of Ed. Arnstedt, who was disabled for life during forest fires, to help him pay his physician.

The following bills were allowed:

Adam Schultz, witness fees justice court	$2 96
Wilhelmina Schultz, witness fees justice court	2 96
John L. Berg, goods for poor	3 00
John Stichen, witness fees justice court	1 50
Campbell & Smith, goods court house	1 88
H. K. Lenhart, justice of the peace, Daggett Brook	40 25
Slipp Bros., goods poor farm	3 95
A Angel, goods poor farm	5 65
Mahlum & Valentine, goods poor	5 00
G. S. McCulloch, overseer poor farm	50 00
G. S. McCulloch, money advanced as overseer	3 75
Knute Olson, work at farm	22 00
Koop Bros., goods poor	13 00
M. Hagberg, goods farm	37 59
do goods poor	7 00
J. L. Camp, medical service poor	18 00
J. L. Camp, medical services poor	26 00
J. L. Camp, medical service poor	16 00
J. L. Camp, board and care of Stephen Kiley	11 70
J. L. Camp, board and care of Nels Johnson	14 44
J. L. Camp, board and care Ed Vincent	35 10
H. Patterson, taking sick person to Brainerd	3 75
H. Patterson, viewing roads	12 00
G. M. Young, surveying county roads	3 00
Robert Maghan, surveying county roads	6 00
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	3 10
Brown, Treacy & Co., books and stationery	4 50
Brown, Treacy & Co., books and stationery	25
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	10 50
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	6 75
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	54 20
City of Brainerd, electric lights months of April and May	15 54
Brainerd Water Co., water rent quarter ending July '95	25 00
Joel Smith, attending three meetings	10 20
John Peterson, surveying county road	6 00
Chris Rushmeyer, planks for culverts	25 00
M. McFadden, premium insurance on ware house at farm	16 80
H. K. Lenhart, justice of the peace, jury trial at Daggett Brook	20 02
Chas. Otto, cinders court house	10 50
H. Harrison, fighting forest fires	5 00
M. K. Swartz, goods court house	75
M. K. Swartz, drugs poor	12 10

An allowance of $5.00 per month was made in favor of Ed Arnstedt until further orders.

Taxes on part lot 1, section 34, town 45 range 31 were reduced to $4.39 for 1893.

Petition of citizens of town 135-27 to be detached from school district No. 35 was granted.

Petition of citizens of town 43 range 30 to organize a school district to be composed of sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18 and nw¼ of 10, was received and hearing on same set for June 4th.

Report of Supt. of schools was accepted and placed on file.

An appropriation of $35 was made from road and bridge fund to ditch on Section 29, 44-31.

An abatement of $215 on Lots 13, 14 and 15, Block 4, 2nd addition, was granted.

South 150 feet of N. W. ¼, of Block 237, was reduced to $150 for 1894.

Bond of M. Hagberg in the sum of $2,400, as grass seed agent, was accepted, and money ordered paid over to him.

Report of grand jury was accepted and placed on file.

Acreage of Lots 1 and 2, and part S. W. ¼ N. W. ¼, of Section 19, Town 45-30, was ordered corrected according to survey.

West 7 acres of south 20 acres of N. W. ¼ N. E. ¼, Section 19, Town 45, R. 30, was cut down to 6½ acres.

The following bills were allowed:

W. W. Craig, goods furnished poor	$10 00
Joel Smith, attending to grass seed	12 00
H. Patterson, attending to grass seed	14 30
A. P. Farrar, attending to grass seed	9 00
Henry Mahle, attending to grass seed	6 00
Oscar Wicks, trees planted around court house	28 00

Robert Magnan was appointed road overseer of E. ½ of T. 45, R. 28.

Petition of citizens of Towns 44-29 and 44-30, to open a road between Sections 1 to 6, to connect Bay Lake with Mille Lacs road, was granted, and survey ordered.

Board adjourned until first Tuesday in June.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Cass County Commissioners Proceedings Meeting Held Monday, May 6th.

All members present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Petition of citizens of town 133-29 and 133-30 to open a road near Hole-in-the-Day Lake was favorably received and Commissioner's Hardy and Bryant appointed to view the same.

Petition of citizens of town 134-30 and 135-30 was favorably received and Commissioners Ellis and Hardy appointed to view same.

Petitions of citizens of town 134-31, were granted.

The following bills were allowed:

Neal Trolson, work on roads	$42 00
A. J. Warner, work on roads	80 75
Geo. F. Mathews, work on roads	64 35
W. E. Greene, work on roads	1 50
J. J. Ellis, viewing roads and meetings	49 70
W. W. Bryant, viewing roads and meetings	40 10
G. L. Hardy, viewing roads and meetings	28 50

Motion made and carried that a committee of the whole view and act on all outstanding road petitions.

Board adjourned until the first Monday in June.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

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Money to loan on city property.
J. R. SMITH, agent.

Parties Using Water for Lawn and Garden Sprinkling, Please Take Notice.

The season for lawn and garden sprinkling commences May 1st, and extends to October 1st. To those of our patrons who desire to use water for this purpose, we will say that the permits for this season have some advantages over those issued last year. The permits are now ready and can be obtained by applying at the Company's office, No. 6, First National Bank Block. Parties using water for this purpose after the first of May without a permit will have the supply shut off without notice. This rule will be strictly enforced. The Company does not compel its patrons to use water for this purpose, but those using it must pay for it. Those violating the rules must take the consequences and put the blame where it belongs.

MINNESOTA WATER WORKS CO.

Housekeeping outfits on the installment plan at the Hoffman Bazaar.—tf.

Wall paper at D. M. Clark & Co's

A new Dining Car Service between Chicago and Buffalo via the Nickel Plate Road has recently been placed at the disposal of the traveling public, which will enable patrons of this favorate low rate line to obtain all meals on trains when traveling on through trains between Chicago, New York and Boston. For reservation of Sleeping Car space and further information see your local ticket agent or address J. Y. Calahan, General Agent, Chicago.

All kinds of first-class groceries at M. Hagberg's, Odd Fellow's Block.

How's This for a Record.

Sherwood's Cough Syrup has been manufactured and sold in Brainerd for over 20 years on a positive guarantee and not a bottle has been returned.

Liquor Law Changes.

Several liquor laws were passed by the legislature which are important in their nature, and which are heralded with much favor by the temperance people, among the most important being the following, according to the News:

One law prohibits saloons from selling, giving away or disposing of liquor in any manner to children. This law is to stop the practice, so prevalent in the cities, of sending children to saloons after buckets and pitchers of beer.

Another law prohibits the sale of liquor on the state fair grounds; another prohibits county commissioners or city councils from granting license to any person to open a saloon within 300 feet of any school house.

One of the most important measures is the one which makes it unlawful to dispose of liquors in any quantity whatever, in towns that have voted "no license."

S. F. No. 70, authorizes villages to use all or part of the license money, for building school houses, or for any school purpose, or for repairing roads or bridges leading into the village.

Under the provision of S. F. No. 346, a relative, friend or guardian may make complaint against an inebriate before the judge of probate, and the judge may commit the person to a special department of the Rochester asylum for treatment.

H. F. No. 185, makes it possible for any person to take the gold cure. Upon proper application, the victim being willing, the probate judge may order him sent to a gold cure institute, and the county advances the money. The victim is to repay the county, but has five years to do so, giving his note without interest.

The World's Drinks.

Beer was the universal drink of the English until the introduction of tea and coffee about 1650. Siberians prepare an intoxicating beverage from mushrooms. In Sweden an apetizer is made from common fennel. The word brandy is from the Dutch "Brandwijn"-burnt wine. Maraschine is distilled from cherries, the fruit and seeds being crushed together. Absinthe is an alcoholate composed of anise, coriander and fonnel, flavored with wormwood and colored with indigo and sulphate of copper. Curacoa is made by digesting orange peel in sweetened spirits and flavoring with cinnamon, cloves or mace. Kischenwasser is distilled from cherries. Vermuth is composed of white wine, angelica, absinthe, and aromatic herbs. Kimmel is brandy sweetened and flavored with coriander and caraway seeds. Tea has been grown and used in the East for ages, from India to Japan. Coffee was introduced into Persia in 875, and into Europe in 1615. Cocoa was sent to Europe from Mexico by the Spaniards in 1520. Eating is more important than drinking, and especially on a journey. When traveling, you should take the Burlington, whose dining cars offer all the delicacies of the season, exquisitely prepared, and are operated on the cafe plan, so that the patron pays only for his own selection. Many other advantages and attractions of the Burlington Route can be learned by addressing W. J. C. Kenyon, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul. Minn.

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MINNESOEA'S FUTURE GREATNESS.

Several Thousand Acres to be Made into a Summer Resort at Hubert Lake.

Sunday's Minneapolis Tribune says: A day or two since the papers announced that a party of St. Paul gentlemen had gone up Bimidji lake in Beltrami county for the purpose of locating a town site. The intimation was that the Brainerd & Northern road would probably reached that point within a short time. A gentleman who is familiar with the affairs of this road, but who does not wish to be named, says: "I do not think—in fact, I have reason to know—that the Brainerd & Northern will not be built to Bimidji lake this year. It is true that the road is now being extended in a northwesterly direction from Lothrop, its present terminus. As a preliminary to this extension, a bridge 2,000 feet long is now being built across an arm of Leech lake just beyond Lothrop. My information is to the effect that the extension of the main line this year will not exceed eight miles in length. At a distance beyond the bridge a branch will be constructed in a southwesterly direction towards Park Rapids. The object of this extension, no doubt, is to reach a lake in which T. B. Walker has several million feet of logs. These logs were up in three years ago, it is said, under a promise from J. J. Hill that he would build a road there, when it was the intention to erect a saw mill at that point. Mr. Hill graded the line, but changed his mind and did not lay the track. Mr. Walker now finds if necessary to do something to save his logs, hence this extension. This, I have reason to think, is the real situation.

"I have been up in that region recently. It is capable of great development. The Tribune has recently pointed out the situation with great clearness. The northern part of the state is soon to experience a boom. The present draw back is in the fact that so much land is owned there by so few parties. This, in a great measure, pine land, and the owners, who are Minneapolis men, are not willing to sell it until they have cut the timber. They have, however, large tracts which have already been cut over, and other tracts which they never will cut. This land, it seems to me, they should place on the market, in order to hasten the development of the country. It would vastly increase the value of what they have left.

"At the point on Leech Lake beyond Lothrop, where the branch will be started towards Park Rapids, there is a fine townsite. I believe it is owned by T. B. Walker. I think it is quite certain that there will be a good town there, and it may possibly be made the county seat of Cass county.

"What Minneapolis wants with regard to this country is the extension of the Great Northern from Milaca to Brainerd. I regard that as being the greatest move which this city could make in the way of railroad connections. It would give us at once direct connections with the upper country, and tend to divert business here which is in great danger of going to Duluth. It needs only a glance at the map to establish the conviction in any man's mind that this is true. When the Brainerd & Northern was organized, this was the intention, but the road fell into the possession of pine land owners, who are at present satisfied to let this connection remain in abeyance. I have no doubt that the road will be ultimately absorbed by the Great Northern. In that case it is probable that the connection may be made.

"As to fishing, the lakes on the line of the Brainerd & Northern surpass anything I ever saw. They are full of white fish, black bass, and other varieties. Leech Lake is particularly so. A gentleman from Minneapolis by the name of F. Thorpe, has recently purchased several thousand acres of land at Hubert Lake, just north of Brainerd. He is planning to build a summer resort there, with beautiful drives and parks. It is said that he has the necessary means with which to carry out his plans."

Before buying a bicycle be sure and call at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Removal Of Ticket Office Of The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad. "Nickle Plate Road."

On May 1st the Chicago City Ticket Office of the New York Chicago & St. Louis R. R., (Nickel Plate Road) will be moved to 111 Adams Street, opposite the Post Office.

J. Y. CALAHAN,
General Agent.

Liquor License.

To the Honorable Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners.

GENTLEMEN: I hereby make application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors at the Station of Lothrop, in the County of Cass, for one year.

GEORGE B. SISLER.

Hearing on above will be had at the County Auditor's office on Tuesday, May 7th, 1895.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

Liquor License.

To the Board of County Commissioners, Crow Wing County.

GENTLEMEN: I hereby apply for a license to sell intoxicating liquors at Backus Station, in Cass county, for the period of one year.

A. RHEINTHAL.

Hearing on above will be had at County Auditor's office on Tuesday, May 7th, 1895.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor,
Crow Wing County.

Legal Notices.

First publication April 12th.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Crow Wing. }

In Probate Court, Special Term, April 8th, 1895.

In the Matter of the Estate of Johann Theviot, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of H. J. Spencer, Executor, of the estate of said Johann Theviot, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has tendered his resignation of said trust, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the making of a final order accepting such resignation.

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard, by this Court, on Monday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office in the County Court House, in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minn., the 8th day of April, A. D. 1895.

[Seal.] By the Court:
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

[First Publication April 5th.]

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Crow Wing. }

In Probate Court, General Term, April 1st, 1895.

In the matter of the estate of Alfred Bogren, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel E. Mooers, of Ft. Ripley, Minnesota, representing, among other things, that Alfred Bogren, late of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1895, at Crow Wing County, Minnesota, died intestate, and being a resident of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is one of the creditors of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to him granted.

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before this Court on Monday, the 29th day of April, A. D. 1895, at 11 o'clock a. m., at Brainerd, in said County.

Ordered further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased, and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895.

[SEAL.] By the Court,
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

C. E. CHIPERFIELD,
Attorney for Petitioner.

(First publication April 5th.)

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Crow Wing. }

In Probate Court, General Term, April 1st, 1895.

In the matter of the estate of Magly Johnson, Deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased being this day granted unto Henry Mahle, of said County.

It is ordered, That all claims and demands of all persons against said estate be presented to this Court, for examination and allowance, at the Probate Office in County Court House, on the following days, viz:

Commencing on Monday, April 8th, 1895, and for six months thereafter on the first Monday in each month.

It is further ordered, That six months from the date hereof be allowed to creditors to present their claims against said estate, at the expiration of which time all claims not presented to said Court, or not proven to its satisfaction, shall be forever barred, unless for cause shown, further time be allowed.

Ordered further, That notice of the time and place of the hearing and examination of said claims and demands shall be given by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to the day appointed for such examination, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895.

[SEAL.] By the Court,
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

(First publication May 3.)

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Crow Wing. }

To J. Lamont:

Take notice that the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to-wit: The SE¼ of section 30, town 44, range 30, was on the 12th day of October, A. D., 1893, sold for the sum of Sixty-six dollars and seventy-one cents, pursuant to a real estate tax judgment entered in the district court in the said county of Crow Wing on the eleventh day of September, A. D. 1893, in proceedings to enforce payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate prior to the years 1879 and 1889, pursuant to Chapter 150 of the General Laws of 1893, in the said county of Crow Wing. That the amount required to redeem such lands from such sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the said sum of one hundred thirty-three dollars and forty-one cents, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent per month from said 12th day of October, 1893, to the time of such redemption, and the time within which said land can be redeemed from said sale will expire sixty days after service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in manner prescribed by section 37 of Chapter 6, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1877, and amendments thereto.

Dated at Brainerd this 29th day of April, A. D. 1895.

[SEAL.] LOUIS TACHE,
Auditor Crow Wing County, Minn.

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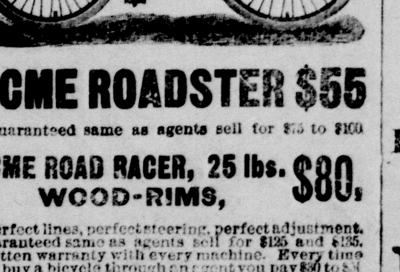
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Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
ST. CLOUD, MINN., April 30, 1895.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Willshire Daugherty against John L. Henton for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 14128, dated March 9th, 1888, upon the E½ NE¼ and E½ SE¼ section 30, township 43, range 30, in Crow Wing County, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Sam. H. Parker, clerk of the district court at Brainerd, Minn., on the 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will take place on June 28, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when the testimony taken as above ordered, will be examined and a decision rendered thereupon.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

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BRAINERD, . . . MINN.

One of the leading features of the foreign policy of England is a disposition to bulldoze little nations and arbitrate with big ones.

The inference is that the Carson City mint will soon be dismantled and its machinery shipped to Denver for use in the new coinage mint to be established there.

Lightning changes in opinion and methods of government are characteristic of the German Emperor. His new nickname, "William the Sudden," is eminently appropriate.

Russia knows what it is to be balked in her purpose to seize what she can lay hands on belonging to an enemy. Japan's present experience is not new among nations.

Japan has demonstrated that she is quite able to take care of herself in any controversy that may arise with a nation seeking to take away any of the advantages of her triumph over China.

The 1878-79 busines rally is being repeated in 1895. Trade had dropped farther then than it did in the recent depression; consequently the recovery will be quicker now than it was at that time.

England's conduct in the Nicaraguan matter is arrogant and cowardly, but it is characteristic. It is the course she has always taken in dealing with small nations. She is a swaggerer and a bully except when the other party is a country of her own size.

As a $75,000 claim led England to seize one of Nicaragua's ports, what will her $2,000,000 or $3,000,000 claim against Honduras prompt her to do? The outlook for the last-named country is nearly as bad as that was for the Asiatic tribes which aroused the cupidity of Genghis Khan.

The new repeating rifles carrying two miles or more are bad for revolutions who usually have to fight with all sorts of weapons and ammunition. The advantage in modern arms possessed by the Spanish troops in Cuba will almost give them immunity from harm in a pitched battle.

The changes of policy on the part of Emperor William of Germany are so sudden and erratic as to suggest anew the query if the young man is not a trifle "off" in the upper story. His tacit alliance with Russia and France against Japan does not meet with the approval of the German nation.

The territory Great Britain demands from Venezuela embraces 60,000 square miles more than was claimed in 1840. This is an area larger than that of Illinois. As Venezuela has not sold any of the land nor given it away, the British title to it should be clearly explained for the benefit of other American republics.

Perhaps the scheme for the union of the Central American nations may be helped by the present complications of one of them. If Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, San Salvador and Nicaragua were under one government, the last-named country would not be quite so defenseless against England as she is now.

The French are not unanimous in regard to colonizing Madagascar. French colonies are expensive luxuries, the conquest of Tonquin having cost $106,000,000, with an annual deficit in addition. An appropriation of $15,000,000 for the Madagascar army is only one of the preliminary items of expense in that quarter.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has sued the city of Chicago for the recovery of damages in the destruction and injury of its property during the strike of last July. The suit was brought for $16,010, the actual damages sustained by the loss and injury to property and $30,000 exemplary damages. The total demand being $46,010.

"Carmen" is 20 years old. The anniversary was observed at the Paris Opera Comique by the 627th performance of the opera. Among the singers was M. Barnolt, the sole survivor of the original cast. He has taken the part of Remondado, the comic bandit, at every performance. Mme. Bizet, with M. Meilhac and Halevy, the authors of the libretto, presented him a gold watch.

The sloop Vigilant has arrived at New York. She made the run across the Atlantic in eighteen days. It will be remembered that last spring she crossed the ocean in fourteen days and eight hours. These remarkable voyages of the fast American centerboarder completely refute the insinuations of British yachtsmen that center board yachts are not safe boats for long distance cruising.

A British naval officer says in the course of a paper recently published that our warships do not compare unfavorably with those built in Europe. Americans fancy that they proved this as long ago as 1812-14, and that we had at that time something better than the ships in the sailors who manned them. They were few in number, but they towed many a dismantled British fighter into port.

Spanish soldiers dislike service in Cuba because few of them according to past experience, can hope to see their native country again. European troops sent to America have not been lucky as a rule. King George invested over $25,000,000 in hiring 29,165 Hessians to help subdue the American colonies, and 11,843 of these mercenaries perished before the end of the war.

Mars is far more distant from the sun than the earth is, but if the latest observations of astronomers are right, our neighboring planet suffers from decidedly hot summers. The polar snow caps on Mars melted entirely last year, which adds strength to the theory that the solar ray is electrical and not heat in itself, though capable of exciting it. The Martians apparently have no trouble in reaching the poles on their globe, and they must form pleasant resorts during the heated ... The great new telescopes to be ...n Mars are likely to furnish Class...sting items.

AROUND THE GLOBE

DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

All Important Occurrences of the Past Week, Boiled Down and Arranged for Rapid Reading, From Home and Abroad.

From the Nation's Capital.

The United States treasury deficit for the current year is expected to reach $45,000,000.

Maj.-Gen. Ruger has been transferred from Chicago to Washington for special duty with the secretary of war.

The interior department is taking steps to have the numerous abandoned military reservations scattered over the country opened for settlement.

Librarian Spofford of Washington says that the old "Trilby" brought forward in the Denver infringement suit was unlike Du Maurier's work in all save the name.

Medical Inspector Edward Kerenner of the navy is to be tried by courtmartial at New York for perjury. This is the first time in the memory of the department when a naval officer has been charged with false swearing.

Advices received at the Venezuelan legation at Washington state that a popular subscription has been opened at Caracas for the statue of President Monroe, which is to commemorate the Monroe doctrine. Manuel Carrion opens the subscription with 100 bolivars, a coin equivalent to a franc.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. T. J. Russell of Cleveland, O., mother of Ella Russell, the singer, died in London.

John Lincoln, a cousin of the martyred President, is in a poorhouse at Reading, Pa.

W. B. Mitchell, one of the oldest residents and largest landowners of Stephenson county, Ill., is dead.

Judge Charles E. Walker, leading attorney of Jefferson county, Ind., died of la grippe at the age of 78.

Maj. Moses P. Handy has accepted an editorial position on the Chicago Times-Herald.

Representative Hitt is slightly better, but there is little hope for his recovery.

Ex-Senator W. W. Berry died at his home in Vincennes, Ind., aged 72 years. He was president of the Knox County Agricultural association.

Miss Frances Gale, granddaughter of Bishop Gen. Leonidas Polk, was married to Dr. F. W. Ring of New York at Nashville, Tenn.

The condition of Mrs. Della Parnell, who was assaulted at Bordentown, N. J., is somewhat improved and there are hopes for her recovery.

The will of Mrs. Mary E. Richmond of Batavia, N. Y., widow of Dean Richmond the famous railroad and steamboat man, leaves an estate of $15,000,000 to be divided among her children.

J. Jay Watson, of Brooklyn is the owner of a violin which it is claimed was formerly used by Ole Bull. The violin is said to have been made by the Amati Bros. the same year Shakespeare died.

Mrs. Dorcas Antle, widow of Dr. Francis Antle, the first mayor of Petersburg, Ill., was buried at Petersburg. Mrs. Antle died in California from the effect of poison taken by mistake. She was 62 years of age.

J. W. Ridgeway, 90 years old and a prominent resident of Wabash, Ind., is dead. He was a director in the early organization of the Pan-Handle and Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan railways.

Rev. Albert Mann, Ph. D., has been elected to fill the chair of biology at the Ohio Wesleyan university of Delaware. Mr. Mann graduated in the classical course of Wesleyon university, Middletown, Conn., in 1879.

Unfortunate Events.

Samuel Bryan, while cleaning a gun, accidentally shot and killed Miss Dora Ryder, aged 19, at Greentown, O.

Miss Lizzie Gruber was fatally injured at Jeffersonville, Ind., by being thrown from a carriage.

The worst hail and electrical storm in years swept over Denver. All the arc lights in the city were burned out.

The Chelsea ferryboat crashed into Hanover slip at Boston and forty passengers got a severe shaking up. Two persons were seriously injured.

The excursion steamer Kittie Stockdale lost her rudder near Pittsburg. There were 622 passengers and great excitement prevailed for a time.

Henry Stephenson fell into a mining shaft 140 feet deep at Stott City, Mo. He was drowned, but there was not a bruise on his body.

John Herron formerly an Indianapolis (Ind.) real estate dealer, was fatally burned in a lodging house at Los Angeles, Cal. His neice was also severely burned.

Fire got such headway in the wholesale grocery of J. H. Mohlman & Co., New York, that the walls caved in before an alarm was given. The loss is $75,000.

Emil Furrer, a farmer, and Jacob Katt of New Milford, Conn., were burned to death in a barn near that town. The fire was of incendiary origin. The two victims were sleeping in the barn.

In a runaway Fayette S. Johnson, principal of the schools of Spring Valley, Ill., received a compound fracture of the thigh bone, besides serious internal injuries. He lies in a precarious condition. Joseph Hercer was severely injured.

The state hospital for insane at Watkins, N. Y. was partly burned. The loss was small, but the excitement among the inmates was intense while the fire raged.

Julia McCabe, a passenger on the east bound Baltimore & Ohio express, committed suicide by jumping from the train near Tiffin, O., and striking on her head.

Criminal Doings.

Dr. James Statbers, a bone doctor, was arrested at Monmouth, Ill., for practicing medicine without a license.

Despondency caused Nelson Farney, aged 24, to shoot and kill himself in Concord township Ia.

Nightwatchman Frank Axley was murdered at Cairo, Ill. Two negroes have been arrested on suspicion.

At Kansas City Charles Carey quarreled with 'Pudding" Clune over a young lady and Clune was killed.

Defaulting County Collector George Hall of St. Joseph Mo., is thought to be in Los Angeles, Cal. A reward of $200 is offered.

L. R. Jerome, a near relative of the late Larry Jerome and Lady Churchill of England, is under arrest at Prescott, Ariz., for stealing a watch.

Charles Carey shot and instantly killed James Cune, alias "Pudding" Clune in Kansas City, Kansas.

A. A. Edgerton was fined $1,500 in Council Bluffs, Ia., for false swearing in support of his mother's pension claim.

Ambrose Edwards was arrested at Jeffersonville, Ind., charged with beating his wife so severely that she may die.

Henry Marshall of Warm Springs Creek, Mont., shot and killed Jesse Davis. The trouble was over an irrigation ditch.

George Oyler was arrested at Logansport, Ind., charged with embezzling $3,091 from J. E. Snell & Co., for whom he worked.

In a raid on 'moonshiners" near Huntington, W. V., Lee Ward was killed and 100 persons, including 20 women, were arrested.

Postmaster Gooding shot and killed a Choctaw at Grant I. T. The Choctaw had tried to kill a negro and then Gooding when the latter interfered.

The body of Julia Curtis aged 23, who had gone into the woods near Traverse City, Mich., to search for arbutus, was found in a swamp. It is thought she met with foul play.

William Wellsworth the famous breeder of Poland China hogs, killed George Filweber a hired man, and then committed suicide at Woodstock, Ill.

Ernest A. Tracey, a contractor of St. Joseph, Mich., is dying from an assault by an unknown man. He was knocked down on the street and his skull crushed.

James Young janitor at the Brazil Ind., courthouse shot and killed his wife at Hoosierville. Then he returned to the courthouse and committed suicide.

Pinkerton men at Chicago have arrested Tom Metzel on a charge of having got $6,0000 from the National bank of Butte, Mont., by means of a forged check.

Edward Tucker a merchant at Port Tampa, Fla., was taken from his home and unmercifully whipped by female whitecaps. Tucker had ill-treated his wife.

James R. Holland, cashier of the Charlotte, N. C., Farmers and Merchants' National bank who fled last Tuesday night, surrendered to the officers.

Mrs. Martha Wallen of Blackwater, Va., stabbed Mrs. Jane Wallace to death with a pitchfork. The murder was the outcome of jealousy on the part of Mrs. Wallen.

Robert Knox, the American forger who has been in prison at Belem, Mex., for two years, has been released. His wife, who was arrested at the same time, died in jail.

Near Alfordsville, Ind., David Grismore shot and fatally wounded a young man named Sherman Allen. Grismore is sixty-one years of age, and claims that Allen is the cause of his daughter's downfall.

Six robbers attempted to hold up a train on the Northern Pacific at the Cascade mountain tunnel. A posse on board the train took the bandits in custody without a shot being fired on either side.

The skeleton of Johanna Logue, wife of "Jimmy" Logue, the crook, has been found at Philadelphia. She was murdered sixteen years ago. It was not Logue, but a stepson, now under arrest, who killed the woman.

Mrs. W. R. Webb, of Sioux City, Ia., was housecleaning and concealed $3,000 worth of jewelry in some safe place, just where she cannot remember. When she looked for it it could not be found. The police believe it was stolen.

Foreign.

Half the town of Dubno in Russia has been destroyed by fire.

There has been an outbreak of cholera at the naval station of Moji in Southern Japan.

Maj. Weissman, the well-known German explorer, has been appointed governor of German East Africa.

Troops had to be called out in the City of Mexico to quell striking street porters at the custom house. The strikers finally returned to work.

President Diaz has opened the ports of Tampico, Guayrias and Vera Cruz for the entrance of bonded goods in transit to the free zone.

Grand Trunk railway directors had a stormy meeting in London. An adjournment for a week finally had to be taken.

The condition of the Duke of Orleans who broke his leg while out hunting near Seville, is serious. A slight attack of pneumonia is complicating matters.

Count von Reventlow the Danish minister at Washington has been appointed minister for Denmark at Rome. M. C. Brun, the secretary of the Danish legation at Paris, succeeds Count von Reventlow as Danish minister at Washington.

At the marriage of Theodore Brinckman to a step-daughter of Lord Aylesford at London, when the words "if any man can show just cause, etc., were reached, the Rev. Father Black, who was in the gallery, protested against the marriage because the groom was a divorced man.

Otherwise.

It was decided by a popular vote to consolidate Clinton and Lyons, Iowa.

The National Association of Railway Surgeons is in session at Chicago.

Ohio oil took a 5-cent drop at Toledo.

St. Louis police are after "mashers." One particularly offensive fellow was fined $100 and costs.

The first consignment of apricots this season has been from Sacramento to Chicago.

The Pennsylvania Supreme court has decided that bicyclists must pay toll on turnpikes.

Sir Henry Tyler resigns as president of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada.

It is reported that the New York World will join the ranks of 3-cent papers.

Bacteria in milk has caused an epidemic of typhoid fever at Stamford, Conn.

Millions of army worms have tpeared on one or two farms near Danville, Ky., devasting all vegetation.

More than $100,000 has been subscribed in Philadelphia toward the establishment of a school for wayward Catholic boys.

Every iron ship in the San Francisco harbor with one exception has been chartered. This is a condition which has never before been at that port.

The 30 coatmakers of Baltimore, members of the United Garment Makers of America, opposed to the sweating system are out on a strike.

a prominent farmer west of Brazil, Ind., left his home Tuesday of last week and his family has heard nothing from him.

New York ministers have agreeed that religion is a commodity and that to be successful churches must advertise.

The Kentucky state board of equalization has increased the assessments of state property $14,000,000 above the total valuation of county assessors.

The alleged strike involving 20,000 Ohio coal miners is merely the annual suspension that will continue until the scale for the year May 1 is signed.

Stockholders of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Michigan railroad want the recent foreclosure sale to R. C. Martin annulled.

Lord Sholto Douglas, second son of the Marquis of Queensberry, is now frequenting San Francisco racetracks. He is pretty seedy.

Daniel Cort of Zwingle, Iowa, dropped dead at his library table. He was 80 years old and had lived in Dubuque county fifty years.

A sand bearing oil has been discovered in a tunnel being driven at Douglass, Wyo., for irrigation purposes.

The men employed by the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company near Pittsburg, repudiated the strike order. They said in convention they were satisfied with the 55-cent rate.

The will of David M. Stone, editor of the New York Journal of Commerce for nearly fifty years, shows that he left an estate of $45,000 to relatives, friends and servants.

The wool crop of Wabash county, Ind., is reported by Wabash buyers to be almost a failure this season. Very little is coming in and the dealers do not anticipate an increase in receipts.

The Georgia W. C. T. U., state convention has adjourned without discussing female suffrage, the emphatic protest of the minister of the church where sessions were held preventing any discussion of the question.

Perry Bowser, a former inmate of the Soldiers' home at Dayton, Ohio, and who lived at Elwood, Ind., recently, with his family has disappeared and it is feared he has gone insane again.

Miss Lou Parsons, a young woman of remarkable beauty, who represented herself several days ago as a professional model from eastern studios, is lying dangerously sick at Kansas City from peritonitis. It is said that she is a member of a wealthy and most respectable family in the east, and that she came west on account of a disappointment in love.

BIG RIOT IN CHICAGO.

SERIOUS TIMES AT THE ILLINOIS STEEL COMPANY'S PLANT.

Twelve Hundred Men Strike and Later Assault Men Who Had Remained at Work—The Police Take a Hand in the Fight.

Chicago, May .—A serious strike occurred at the plant of the Illinois Steel company in South Chicago yesterday, 1,200 men throwing down their tools and walking out. Last evening a fight occurred in the company's yards, and it was found necessary to call in the police. The strikers for a time stood their ground against the officers, but were soon routed and driven from the premises. The men most seriously hurt were:

Jack Shepherd, a machinist, struck on the head by a hammer in the hands of a striker; severe scalp wound, rendered unconscious, will recover.

Edward Shaska, striker, thrown out of machine shop by workmen; body bruises.

Officer Leidendecker, hit with a coupling pin; bad cut over right eye.

Officer Patrick McCauley, hit in mouth with brick.

Twenty-eight men, who are said to have been the leaders of the strikers at the rioting were arrested and locked up at the South Chicago police station. They are charged with rioting. They are all ignorant Hungarians, Poles and Bohemians.

The strikers were at first disposed to be orderly and peaceable, but later affairs took on an ugly aspect, and it was found necessary to call on the police to drive them out. Shortly before six o'clock a crowd numbering 1,600 men forced their way past the watchmen at one of the gates and proceeded to take possession of the company's property. They marched first to where some of the laboring men were still at work, and either compelled them to join their ranks or quit work. Not much trouble was experienced with the laborers, but when the strikers reached the machine shops where about 400 machinists were employed, they met with a different reception. The machinists have a scale of their own and the fight of the other men made no particular difference to them, and they refused either to quit or to allow themselves to be driven out of the yards. The strikers, who, for the most part were Hungarians and Poles, made several attempts to persuade the machinists to leave their work, but finding them unsuccessful, they began an attack upon the machine shop with stones and such weapons as they could pick up. The machinists, for the most part, stood their ground and gave the strikers as good as they sent. The fight was growing warm, and broken heads and bloody noses were growing very common when the police, who had been summoned when the fight first began, arrived. They were under the command of Capt. Jenkins, who at once made a charge on the mob with his handful of officers. The strikers at first refused to give ground, and the police used their clubs freely. This did not have the desired effect, and Capt. Jenkins ordered his men to draw their revolvers and fire over the heads of the strikers. As soon as this was done the mob broke and fled wildly from the premises of the company.

The health authorities of a number of States have recently made exhaustive examinations of the baking powders with the uniform result of finding the Royal superior to all others.

Geological Survey.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 9. — It has been decided by the trustees of the state school of mines and the board of regents having in charge the educational institutions in the Black Hills to run a geological survey from Rapid City to the coal deposits on the Grand river. Prof. J. E. Todd, state geologist, will have charge of the department of geology on the expedition, and Prof. F. C. Smith, of the school of mines, will look after the economic and mining departments. The same faculty has been retained at the school of mines for the ensuing year. The school has during the past year shown marked advancement and has had the largest registration since the foundation of the institution.

The A. P. A.

Milwaukee, May 9 — The supreme council of the American Protective association will begin its eighth annual session in Liberty hall to-morrow morning. The committee on credentials held its first annual session this morning. About 150 representatives are already in the city. It is expected that every state and territory will be represented except Mississippi, New Mexico and the Indian Territory, and that upward of 400 delegates will occupy seats on the floor of the hall.

Gov. Turney Inaugurated.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9. — To-day Gov. Turney was inaugurated in the hall of representatives, which was festooned with bunting and decorated with plants and flowers for the occasion. A large attendance from neighboring towns was present.

The Royal Baking Powder is the greatest of the modern time helps to perfect cooking and every receipt requiring a raising ingredient should embody it.

Jackson's Church Damaged.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9.—The little historic church built by Gen. Andrew Jackson and his wife near the hermitage in 1823, was badly damaged by a storm yesterday. A tree was blown upon it, crushing in the roof, and the interior was badly damaged by water

Killed by Cars.

Wabasha, Minn., May 9.—The body of an unknown man was found this morning near the depot, supposed from papers found on the body, to have been T. Cockroft of Milwaukee. He evidently was killed by cars while trying to steal a ride.

Ito at the Foo.

Che Foo, May 9.—Count Ito, president of the Japanese council of ministers, arrived here to-day in order to be present at the exchange of the ratifications of the treaty of peace.

STRIKE EXTENDING.

The Labor Troubles in Sheboygan More Serious.

Sheboygan, Wis., May 4.—This afternoon the entire force of the Crocker chair factory, to the number of 500 men, walked out and paraded the streets. The Crocker Chair company has the biggest chair factory in the United States, having two large factories, with branch houses at New York, Chicago, and Minneapolis. There seems to be little doubt that the strike will become general throughout the city. The C. L. Roenitz Leather company voluntarily raised wages 10 per cent, but the men demanded 20 per cent, and nearly 200 walked out. The Mattoon Manufacturing company have offered their men a raise of 10 per cent, but the offer has been refused.

SOUTH DAKOTA LOSES.

Its Claim Against the United States Is Not Upheld.

Washington, May 4.—An opinion in the case of South Dakota against the United States for a claim of 50,000 acres of the Yankton Indian reservation has been written by the attorney of the land department. It is against the claim of the state having choice of allotment. Before becoming effective the opinion must be passed on by Secretary Smith and the president. Secretary Smith is in Georgia, and it will be some days yet before the reservation is opened.

Supposed to Have Suicided.

Brainerd, Minn., May 4.—The body of Jacob Hamerle was found in Wabadah lake yesterday by Frank Raynor. Hamerle disappeared last November from a lumber camp, and it is thought to be a case of suicide. He was a middle-aged man and had no known relatives in this country.

POLICE COMMISSIONER

Theodore Roosevelt Assumes His New Position in New York.

New York, May 9.—Thecdore Roosevelt has taken the oath of office as one of the three police commissioners. Mr. Roosevelt is only thirty-five years of age, but he has gained celebrity as



Theodore Roosevelt.

a writer, politician and as a huntsman. He is a scion of an old New York family and was himself born in the metropolis. Mr. Roosevelt claims literature as a profession. He has served three terms in the New York legislature and was the Republican candidate for mayor of New York city in 1886. As a writer he has delved deeply in fields of American history, politics and out-door sports.

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Walter S. Haines, M. D."
Chemist to the Chicago Board of Health.

VIRGINIA FEUD.

It Results in Three Dead and One Fatally Wounded.

Sergeant, Ky., May 9. — Wagoners have brought the news to this place that the Gilley boys and Joe and Will Day met near their homes on Indian creek, nine miles from Norton, Va., and engaged in a deadly battle which resulted in the death of the three Gilley boys and the fatal wounding of Joe Day. This is the word received. The truth of the details cannot at this time be stated, but it is further reported that Will Day, one of the participants, is in the Wise county jail. The two factions have been at war for some time, the bad feeling growing out of the elopement of one of the Gilleys with a Day girl, sister of Joe and Will, in 1893. The bloodshed just reported is the first that has resulted from the feeling between the two factions.

BIGAMOUS INDIANS.

A Sioux Chief to Be Tried for Having Too Many Wives.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 9.—American Horse, a prominent Sioux chief, arrested last week on the charge of bigamy, has been held to the United States grand jury in the sum of $3000. He is accused of having four wives. The crime of bigamy has heretofore received no attention from the government, and Indians have had enough wives to support them with impunity. Now the government has come in and threatens to make an example of American Horse, with a view to scaring the reds out of the practice. Dearly and Ghost Dog, two other Sioux, were each held in a similar bond of $300 for stealing cattle. All three Indians furnished bonds and returned to the reservation.

There is no baking powder which produces such sweet and tasteful food as the Royal Baking Powder.

DINWOODIE'S BODY.

It Is Found Floating in the Bay at Duluth.

Duluth, Minn., May 9.—The mystery concerning the disappearance of George Dinwoodie, who used to be in the coal business in Duluth, but of late has been with the Lehigh Coal and Iron company at St. Paul, was cleared up this morning, when the captain of the steamer Mayflower, which plies between Duluth and Superior, discovered the body of a man floating in the water about thirty feet out from Dock No. 1, of the Northwestern Fuel company, at the foot of Fifth avenue west, and only two blocks from the depot. The remains were unrecognizable, but the name in Dinwoodie's hat told the story.

G. A. R. IN IOWA.

Suspicious and Auspicious Opening of the State Encampment.

Clinton, Iowa, May 9.—The opening day of the state encampment, G. A. R., of Iowa, here, is fairly pleasant with thousands of boys in blue, Sons of Veterans and members of the Woman's Relief corps. Among the noted visitors already here are Commander-in-Chief Thomas G. Lawler, Gov. Frank D. Jackson of Iowa and Department Commander Newman. The grand parade, in which several thousand were in line, started at 2 p. m. Camp fires, addressed by prominent men, were held in Davis' opera house and three of the churches.

Oscar Wilde at Liberty.

London, May 9—Oscar Wilde was released on bail to-day, after furnishing a personal bond for $12,500 and two sureties in $6,250 each.

Driven Ashore.

Trempealeau, Wis., May 9. — The steamer Cyclone with a lumber raft in tow for the Tabor Company of Keokuk, Iowa, was caught in a storm while rounding the bend at the head of the upper island, and was blown ashore, the raft breaking in pieces.

Down an Elevator Shaft.

St. Louis, May 9.—John M. Chandler, aged sixty, a leading attorney of this city, was instantly killed to-day by falling down the elevator shaft of the Security building.

EVICTIONS ABANDONED.

Tenants Will Be Unmolested During the Court's Decision.

Pender, Neb., May 4.—Capt. Breck has abandoned his intention of evicting the tenants until the courts settle the contention. J. F. Meyers, head of the land company, has just returned from a trip over the reservation, and reports that while the settlers were prepared to resist the Indian police, there was, happily, no opportunity for action in that direction. The settlers have now gained confidence and are busy at work putting in their crops. Only twenty-four hours remain for Capt. Breck to habeas corpus the two Indian police in the Pender jail.

Requisition for Whiteman.

Albany, N. Y., May 4.—Gov. Morton gave a hearing this afternoon and granted a requisition to the governor of California for the custody of A. J. Whiteman, who is charged with having forged a check for $500 in San Francisco. Whiteman was arrested in New York about a week ago.

Selected a North Dakota Man.

Helena, Mont., May 4.—The state board of education selected President Webster Merrifield, of the University of North Dakota, at Grand Forks, to be president of the Montana state university, located at Missoula. The Montana institution will open its doors this fall.

Held for Extradition.

Washington, May 4.—A telegram received at the secret service bureau from Hamilton, Ont., states that Mrs. M. L. Mack, charged with being a member of the Chicago postage stamp counterfeiting gang, was to-day committed for extradition.

Royal Arcanum.

Milwaukee, May 4.—The seventeenth annual session of the Wisconsin grand council of the Royal Arcanum convened here to-day.

BENEDICT IS RUN IN.

HOT TIMES FOR A WHILE AT NEW RICHMOND, WIS.

A Burglar Takes Refuge in a Hotel Now on His Way to South Dakota to Be Tried for Assisting Taylor to Escape.

Chicago, May 8.—The arrest of H. M. Benedict, brother-in-law of W. W. Taylor, the defaulting state treasurer of South Dakota, took place in Chicago at the Leland hotel. Pinkerton detectives say that it has been definitely learned that Benedict assisted Taylor to escape. He has been wanted for some time, and constant search for him has been kept up. Last week it was learned that Benedict had been in this city, but had gone to New York. A search of the latter place failed to find him, however. Then word was received that he was still in Chicago, and he was discovered at the Leland hotel. A man was sent to Springfield for requisition papers, and as soon as he returned Benedict was placed under arrest and immediately taken aboard the train for South Dakota. The fact of the arrest was kept secret until after he was on the train.

KILRAIN WHIPPED.

He Is Knocked Out by Steve O'Donnell of Australia.

Coney Island, N. Y., May 8.—Steve O'Donnell knocked Jake Kilrain out in the twenty-first round. In the last round Jake's face showed evident signs of his punishment, but he was still very game. He led off with his right on the neck. O'Donnell fought him around the ring. When at close quarters he put his right on the body and sent his left over the jaw. Kilrain fell like a log to the floor of the ring, and although he managed to get up within the required ten seconds, the referee, Tim Hurst, stopped the bout at the request of the police. Jake would have been put out with one more punch. Time of last round, 1:18. Time of fight, 1:20:10.

CATHOLIC INSTITUTIONS.

Missouri Christian Endeavorers Raise an Objection.

Sedalia, Mo., May 8. — Before final adjournment the Missouri convention of Christian Endeavor society adopted a resolution that in various places in Missouri for many years past the action of the United States has been violated and civil liberty outraged in that helpless girls and women have been illegally, cruelly and without due process of law, deprived of their liberty and incarcerated, held indefinitely in a condition of slavery in prison houses not recognized by the laws of the state, viz.: Nunneries, reformatories, convents and other institutions of like nature, from which they cannot be classed by existing laws, except by except by expensive litigation. The session requested that the governor recommend to the legislature, now in session, the legislation which shall prevent the unwarranted detention of any person in this state.

ENDED HIS LIFE.

Sleepy Eye the Scene of a Drunken Row and Midnight Tragedy.

Sleepy Eye, Minn., May 8.—A row on the street at 11 o'clock last evening ended in a tragedy. Alfred Koecherie, a young man twenty years of age, a tinner by trade in the employ of Hanson & Goettsche, shot Fritz Koehne, a young associate, in the neck and afterward committed suicide. The trouble started during the afternoon in Eade's saloon, where Koehne was tending bar. A dispute about change was the cause, although it is said that a feud has been on between the young fellows for over a year. Koehne will recover.

HYDROPHOBIA VICTIMS.

A Faribault Police Officer May Die From a Bite.

Faribault, Minn., May 8. — Policeman Louis Joachim lies at his home at the point of death from the effects of a dog bite received a month or more ago. Precautions were taken at the time, but last Friday he went home sick, and late last evening symptoms of hydrophobia developed that may prove fatal. A mad dog belonging to a man named Gilbelyon has bitten the son of Otto Stroberger, also a son of Daniel Donohue.

Compelled to Climb Trees.

Houghton, Tex., May 8. — Reports from Eastern Texas tell of a regular spout which fell yesterday. A dispatch from Nacodoches states that miles of fencing was washed away and a bridge on Bonita bayou was carried away, and a mile of railroad track on the East & West Texas here was washed out. Thirteen sections of a bridge on this road were carried off by the torrent. Judge Lomis, Dr. Barham, Henry Carroway, George Barham and Hub Lewis were compelled to climb trees by the fast rising water and were not rescued until to-day.

A Strike On.

Duluth, Minn., May 8.—A strike is on in the Franklin-Rockefeller mine on the Mesaba iron range. Three hundred and fifty men are out, and it is possible that the trouble may spread. The trouble was precipitated by the loaders, who demand that all the men in the mine be paid higher wages.

Probably Destroyed.

Bay City, Mich., May 8. — Greenwood is believed to have been destroyed by forest fires.

Hail Storm in Omaha.

Omaha, May 8—A terrific hail storm did much damage in Omaha to-day. Hail stones filled the streets. Much property was destroyed, mostly glass and young trees. The damage will amount to thousands of dollars. Few glass remain in windows fronting the streets.

American Sculptors.

New York, May 8.—The second annual exhibition of the national sculpture society opened to-day at the galleries of the fine arts building.

PERSONATION OF DEITY.

Its Punishment the Object of a Measure in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Special.—A bill was introduced in the legislature to-day which is aimed at Schweinfurth, the Rockford "Christ." It provides that whoever assumes or pretends to be the Deity or assumes to possess the attributes of the Deity, or whoever falsely assumes or pretends to be the Son of God or Jesus Christ, or holds himself out to the world as possessing either or any of the attributes generally attributed to the Deity, or whoever claims to be the incarnation of what is commonly known and called the saving graces of the Holy Ghost or Jesus Christ, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary from one to two years.

Normal School Diplomas.

St. Paul, Special.—State Superintendent of Schools Pendergast and Chairman Pattee, of the state normal school board, signed the diplomas for graduates of the state normal schools yesterday. The registration for graduation at the various schools is as follows:

Elementary Course — Winona, 90; Mankato, 65; St Cloud, 30; Moorhead, 6. Total, 181.

Advanced Course — Winona, 40; Mankato, 30; St. Cloud, 35; Moorhead, 7. Total, 112; making a grand total of 293.

Ball Wants Boodle.

Kansas City Mo, Special.—Frank M. Ball, formerly yard clerk for the Missouri Pacific railway at this point, brought suit against that corporation in the circuit court to-day to recover $5,000 damages. Ball claims that he has been blacklisted by the Missouri Pacific railway, and that it is using its influence to prevent him from obtaining work.

MINNEAPOLIS MURDER.

Jealousy Causes Fritz Williams to Kill H. W. Thomas.

Minneapolis, May 8—Mad with jealous rage, Fritz Williams fired a shot which put out the life of H. W. Thomas, superintendent of the Soo telegraph. Williams has confessed.

At 1:15 a. m. Ward Hansel and W. H. Dickenson were passing the corner of Thirty-second and Chicago avenue. The body of a man was seen lying beside the crosswalk, his head almost touching it. A hasty examination showed that murder had been done. The residence of R. L. Berglund was nearest the scene of the murder, and on being roused the family identified the body as that of Thomas. The body bore no marks of robbery, there being $35 in his pocket and some valuable jewelry. The motive, however, was quickly divined when the Berglunds stated that Thomas had been calling there last evening.

A daughter of Mr. Berglund was married about two years ago to Fritz Williams. The marriage was a Hudson affair. Williams was a young fellow of indifferent reputation and for some time was clerk at the Windsor hotel, which was then operated by Mr. Berglund. Mr. Thomas also lived at the Windsor. A few months ago Mrs. Williams began proceedings for a divorce. Since their removal from the Windsor hotel, Thomas had been a frequent visitor at the Berglund's. Williams was found at his home on Chicago avenue. He admitted the shooting. Through his attorney, Williams made the following statement:

"I went up to Berglund's house to see my wife, and when I arrived there I saw her and Thomas sitting in the dark by the window. This enraged me beyond all power of control. I walked up and down for some time and then finally waited for Thomas by the little church on the corner. About 10:45 he came out. It was raining. He raised his umbrella. He crossed the street and turned his back upon me and I drew a revolver from my pocket. I walked quickly up to him and, just as he turned, poked the gun into his face and fired. He dropped without a groan, and I made my way home."

SCHOOL SUPPLIES LOST.

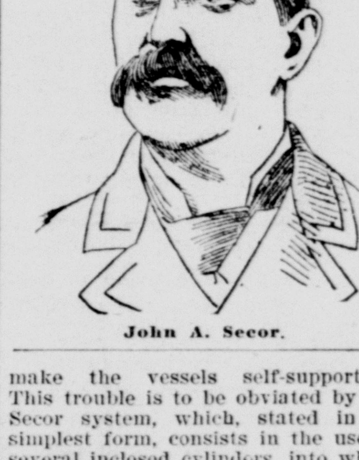
Serious Fire in a Business Block at Sioux Falls.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 8. — Fire, which started in some unknown manner last evening in the Syndicate block, a four-story brick, damaged equivalent to a complete loss $34,700 worth of school supplies of the Chicago School Supply company, managed here by Earl V. Norton. The supplies were mostly books and maps which are easily damaged both by smoke and water, and it was necessary to turn on three big streams of water in order to save the block, which was built at a cost of $90,000. Manager Stout, of Stout's orchestra, lost $250 worth of music. The Cooperative Savings and Loan association sustained some loss by water. The damaged property was insured for $25,000.

GREAT INVENTION.

That of John A. Secor, a Rival of Edison.

New York, May 8.—A trial will soon be made of the invention of John A. Secor, whom Edison is obliged to recognize as a rival. The invention is a system of marine propulson. The immense amount of fuel which it is necessary for transatlantic steamers to carry occupies so much space that not enough passengers and merchandise in addition can be carried to



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make the vessels self-supporting. This trouble is to be obviated by the Secor system, which, stated in its simplest form, consists in the use of several inclosed cylinders, into which are introduced a mixture of air and atomized fuel, which being automatically ignited is discharged directly against the external water at the stern of the vessel. The instantaneous expulson of the gases drives the vessel forward in the water just as a rocket is elevated in the air. The expulsions under perfect control, are produced with regularity and average 300 per minute. This invention, it is thought, will cause as great a commercial revolution as that which followed the original introduction of steam.

An Editor Arrested.

Kearney, Neb., May 7—W. R. Reese, editor of the Kearney Journal, is under arrest charged with forgery in connection with county warrants. It is claimed that he raised in many cases the warrants, and that the amount involved is in the thousands

Shoes Go Up.

Brockton, Mass., May 8.—Brockton manufacturers have decided almost unanimously to increase the price of shoes from 15 to 20 cents a pair.

Train Robber Treed.

Marcus, Cal., May 8.—Sheriff Smith has located two suspicious characters supposed to be the Marysville train robbers, at a lonely spot four miles west of here. They refuse to allow any one to approach their place of concealment. A posse has gone to arrest them.

Banker Dead.

Wausau, Wis., May 7.—Jacob Poff, vice president of the First National bank, one of the best known residents of this city, died last evening.

WRECKERS AT WORK.

Tie Placed on the Track of the Great Western Railroad.

Marshalltown Iowa, Special.—The north-bound passenger train on the Chicago & Great Western railroad was wrecked between Green Mountain and Gladbrook late last night by striking a tie. It is learned the tie was placed on the track by miscreants. The engine and three coaches were thrown down a five-foot embankment, and are now lying in the ditch. The track is not cleared at this hour (11 a. m.). The baggageman and brakeman were slightly injured, but the rest of the crew and the passengers escaped unhurt.

Michigan Central Annual.

Detroit, Special.—The Michigan Central annual meeting was held this morning. The stockholders present were Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, Edwin D. Worcester, Ashley Pond, George H. Russell, Emory Wendell and C. M. Davidson. The annual report showed that the earnings had suffered a drop of $3,594,017 below the receipts of 1893, but the expenses also exhibited a decrease of $3,143,684. The net earnings were $3,439,905. The entire directorate was re-elected.

Two Years of Work.

St. Paul, Special.—Grand Secretary Montgomery has just completed a register for the Masonic fraternity, which contains the name of every Mason that has been affiliated with any lodge in this state since 1849. The record shows that nearly 20,000 persons have been raised to the degree of Master Mason, while nearly 10,000 more were added by card. It took over two years to prepare the register, and it is considered a most valuable set of records.

AN IMPORTANT CASE.

IT COMES UP BEFORE THE UNITED STATES COURT.

A Suit for an Estoppel—The Eureka Chemical Company, of La Crosse, Makes the Trouble.

Papers have been filed in the United States court of the western district of Wisconsin by Tarrant & Krounshage, attorneys for the Sterling Remedy company, of Chicago and New York, in a suit for estoppel and damages against an imitation of No-to-bac, the tobacco habit cure. The action is brought against a concern called the Eureka Chemical company, of La Crosse, Wis.

The principles involved in these proceedings are of the utmost importance to the proprietary interests of America in general, and form in many respects, a test case, the outcome of which will be carefully watched by the many other important manufacturing concerns similarly imitated. Not only the question of imitation of name, trade-mark, form of preparation and package, enter into the case, but also the proposition whether the actual advertising literature used in establishing the publicity of a preparation can be stolen with impunity, word for word, by an imitator. The decision in this case will settle one of the vital points in United States trade-mark and copyright law.—Madison (Wis.) Democrat.

PROVE AN ALIBI.

This is What Durant's Attorneys Expect to do.

San Francisco, May 9. — Theodore Durant's attorneys have discovered evidence which will enable them to establish an alibi for their client so far as the Williams murder case is concerned. A Market street hairdresser states that Marian Williams was a regular patron. She says Miss Williams entered her shop at 8 o'clock on the night of her disappearance. She had her hair dressed, leaving the shop at 8:25. It is estimated that by taking the car immediately she could not have reached Emanuel church until 8:50. Durant's counsel argued that Durant could not, therefore, have escorted her into the church, outraged and murdered her and then walked to Dr. Vogel's house, where he arrived at 9:15.

The Royal Baking Powder Company controls its own cream of tartar factory and the processes for making the only absolutely pure cream of tartar. It sends its product to millions of homes all over the world, supplies the Army and Navy, the great transatlantic steamers, the finest hotels and restaurants. The "Royal" is recommended by the best chefs and authorities on cuisine in every land. Its sale is larger than that of all other cream of tartar baking powders combined and it has more friends among housekeepers than any other similar article.

Murderer Arraigned.

Minneapolis, May 9.—Frederick L. Williams, the slayer of H. W. Thomas, was arraigned in the municipal court this morning charged with murder in the first degree. The room was nearly empty, as it was generally understood that he would be brought before Judge Kerr at a later hour. F. C. Cook appeared as his attorney, and when Williams' name was called he promptly waived the reading of the complaint and examination in the municipal court. The court then bound him over to the grand jury without bail.

No Checks.

Washington, May 9.—The report that President Cleveland had sent a draft of $700 to a family in Decatur, Ind., on the occasion of the birth of triplets which were named for the president's household was pronounced to be without foundation at the White House today. In families where triplets occur, and where the president has been notified that they bear his name or the names of his family they receive a courteous letter of acknowledgment but no checks.

Bad for Insane People.

Milwaukee, May 9.—Court commissioners who have been looking into the subject say that the legislature failed to pass any laws making provision for the commitment of insane persons. There is no legal method today in Wisconsin whereby insane persons can be incarcerated in asylums, and there is no remedy if wardens and superintendents of asylums refuse admittance to the most violently insane person.

The statistics show that there is used in the manufacture of the Royal Baking Powder more than half of the cream of tartar consumed in the United States for all purposes. The wonderful sale thus indicated for the Royal Baking Powder—greater than that of all other baking powders combined—is perhaps the highest evidence of the superiority of this article, and of its indispensableness to modern cookery.

Good Crop Weather.

Washington, May 9.—The Weather bureau in its review of weather crop conditions for the week ended May 6 says: Generally the week has been very favorable. In the Northwestern states much needed, and for the present ample, rains have fallen, which, with unusually high temperatures, have been exceptionally favorable for germination of and rapid growth of all vegetation.

Attacked a Town.

Havana, May 9. — The insurgents this morning attacked the town of Cristo and burned three houses. During the engagement the Spanish troops lost one killed and six wounded. The loss of the insurgents is not known.

Not Arrested Yet.

Topeka, Kan., May 9.—Gov. Morrill returned to Topeka to-day but no warrant for arrest has been sworn out. Attorneys for Warden Chase still insist, however, that the arrest will be made, probably to morrow.

YOUNG TRAIN WRECKER.

Confesses to Having Placed an Obstruction on the Track.

Paraboo, Wis., Special.—About two weeks ago some obstruction was placed on the track near Devil's nose, a steep embankment a few miles south of here, by an unknown person, and but for the presence of mind of Engineer Luder, a passenger train would have been wrecked. As soon as the engine struck the obstruction Luder applied the air brakes, and only the engine left the track. Detective Jack Riley, of the Chicago & Northwestern, has been working on the case since that time and last night, assisted by Sheriff Hulbert, arrested Fred Wisner, a young lad living near Merrimac. Wisner is only fifteen years old. He has confessed.

When asked to give his reasons for having placed the bolts and spikes on the track the boy replied that he wanted to see the locomotive jump.

Business Houses Burned.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Special—Every business house except a restaurant and the depot in the village of Sand Lake, 25 miles north of here, were destroyed by fire to-day. Several residences were also burned, and there are not enough left to accommodate the homeless people. Three general stores, two drug stores, two hardware stores, one livery barn, one furniture store, two meat markets, the hotel, barber shop, wagon shop, and three groceries, were totally wiped out of existence. The total loss is estimated at $60,000, with less than $20,000 insurance.

More Miners Out.

Elkhorn, W. Va., Special.—All the miners in the Houston mines came out to-day. A committee of strikers waited on them last night. The operators and miners throughout the fields are holding together.

CORNER IN GOLD.

The Morgan-Rothschild Syndicate is At Work.

Chicago, May 9.—A special to the Post from Washington says: The discovery that there is an actual basis for the report that the Morgan-Rothschild bond syndicate is conspiring to corner the gold market has been regarded as a foolish canard. It is a fact, however, that brokers representing this syndicate have been paying a premium for the refined gold output of the private refineries through the West during the last two months, and that they are accumulating the gold at the rate of $2,500,000 to $3,000,000 per month, which represents fully two-thirds of the entire gold output of the United States. In order to divert the yellow stream from its usual channels leading into the United States mints, the private purchasers have been obliged to pay a premium of 1-16 to 1-2 cent. The premium paid for most of the gold was 1-8 cent, but so anxious have been the buyers to increase their lines and get everything in sight that they have marked up their quotations during the last few days. At the present time they are getting practically the entire output of the United States, excepting at the extreme western coast.

Many long-headed men in Washington and Wall street who are familiar with the methods of the parties composing the syndicate have jumped to the conclusion that the foundation is being laid for another bond deal before congress meets again. The last bond deal of $62,000,000 has been pretty well closed out, over $51,000,000 in gold having been paid out of the $64,000,000, and it is generally believed that the entire deal will be cleaned up before the first day of August.

Under the terms of the contract with the treasury department the Morgan-Rothschild syndicate has an option on any local bonds that may be issued by the government prior to October next. If from any natural causes or through chicanery and manipulation the administration is obliged to issue another batch of bonds to maintain the gold reserve the sale must be made to the syndicate that took the last issue. There is no escape from such action. It was nominated specially in the contract signed by direction of the president.

The clause in which the syndicate agrees to maintain the treasury reserve leaves the syndicate to be the judge as to what it can do in the premises or to what methods it shall adopt.

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If in the carrying out of that moral obligation the syndicate shall decide that the government must issue another $100,000,000 or $50,000,000 in bonds the administration will have nothing to do but comply with the terms. If the president does not want to issue any more bonds at the dictation of the syndicate the reserve can be practically wiped out in ten days, and then if he should decide in self-pritection to put out more bonds, he must sell them to the Morgan-Rothschild people and nobody else.

BLIXT IN PRISON.

He Has Commenced to Work Out His Life Sentence.

Minneapolis, May 9.—Claus A. Blixt, the murderer of Catherine Ging, had quite an eventful trip to Stillwater. The train at White Bear was met by a hundred or more citizens, who surrounded the train, calling for Blixt, while others marched through the coaches in search for him. They evidently had no intention of lynching Blixt, but their actions made it quite uncomfortable for the prisoner and his attendants. Blixt quietly remained in his seat and in this way escaped general observation. At Stillwater the train was met by some 500 people, but there was no demonstration.

Blixt, on arriving at the prison, was given a clean shave and was assigned to cell No. 202. His registered number is 4,171. The shaving made quite a change in his personal appearance. He bore up well until he was informed he could not see his wife again, and when denied this request he broke down and sobbed. He was to-day assigned to work in the shoe shop.

As a matter of useful information it may be stated that whenever a cooking receipt calls for a baking powder the "Royal" should be used. The receipt will be found to work better and surer, and the bread, biscuit, rolls, cakes, dumplings, crusts, puddings, crullers or whatever made, will be sweeter, lighter, finer-flavored, more dainty, palatable and wholesome.

Benedict Arraigned.

Pierre, S. D., May 9.—H. M. Benedict arrived this morning, accompanied by a Pinkerton agent. The preliminary hearing was called at 11 today and adjourned until to-morrow on account of the absence of Attorney General Crawford. Benedict, on the advice of his attorney, refuses to make any statement before examination.

New Man at the Helm.

Evansville, Minn., May 9. — Col. George H. Sheire of St. Paul has purchased the Evansville Enterprise, and will take charge of the paper next week. Mr. Sheire has had considerable experience in the newspaper business and will no doubt succeed in his new venture.

The authorities of Canada have been making an elaborate study of the baking powders sold there. The official analyst of Ontario says as the result of his investigation that he "finds the Royal Baking Powder far superior to the others," and goes so far as to recommend its use in preference to any other.

Deputies Dissolve.

Rome, May 9.—King Humbert has signed a decree dissolving the chamber of deputies and fixing May 26 as the date for the election of deputies. The second ballots will be taken on June 2. The new chamber will assemble Aug. 2.

Killed at New Ulm.

New Ulm, Minn., May 9.—Christian Hacker, a retired farmer, seventy-two years of age, living here, was run over by a Northwestern switch engine this morning and killed.

Secretary Hart Compiling Information About Them.

St. Paul, Special.—Secretary Hart, of the state board of corrections and charities, who is also secretary of the national board of corrections and charities, has a force of clerks busy at the capitol compiling information, statistical and otherwise, to be submitted at the meeting of the national board in New Haven, Conn., May 24 to 30, inclusive.

The Minnesota board will be represented by Secretary Hart and E. S. Durant, delegates, and Dr. S. G. Smith and J. D. Ludden of St. Paul, Rev. J. A. Stemen of Minneapolis, Supt. Merrill, of the state school at Owatonna, and W. E. Lee, superintendent of the state reformatory at St. Cloud, have signified their intention of attending the meeting.

Drainage Canal Accident.

Chicago, Special.—An acident on the drainage canal at Mount Forrest this morning killed one man and seriously injured three others, one of whom will die. The dead man is Elmer Tongen, a laborer, 30 years of age, who was instantly killed. The injured are Michael Scanlan, right arm badly crushed, necessitating amputation and injured internally; Charles Miller, and Jacob Duboine.

Murphy Re-Elected.

Chicago, Special.—Dr. J. B. Murphy of Chicago was re-elected president of the National Association of Railway surgeons at its session to-day. The contest for the presidency was a hot one, several candidates being warmly supported.

Wilde Admitted to Bail.

London, Special.—Upon application of counsel for Oscar Wilde, the judge to-day decided to admit the prisoner to bail. The amount will be fixed tomorrow.

Brainerd Dispatch.

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BRAINERD, . . . MINN.

One of the leading features of the foreign policy of England is a disposition to bulldoze little nations and arbitrate with big ones.

The inference is that the Carson City mint will soon be dismantled and its machinery shipped to Denver for use in the new coinage mint to be established there.

Lightning changes in opinion and methods of government are characteristic of the German Emperor. His new nickname, "William the Sudden," is eminently appropriate.

Russia knows what it is to be balked in her purpose to seize what she can lay hands on belonging to an enemy. Japan's present experience is not new among nations.

Japan has demonstrated that she is quite able to take care of herself in any controversy that may arise with a nation seeking to take away any of the advantages of her triumph over China.

The 1878-79 busines rally is being repeated in 1895. Trade had dropped farther then than it did in the recent depression; consequently the recovery will be quicker now than it was at that time.

England's conduct in the Nicaraguan matter is arrogant and cowardly, but it is characteristic. It is the course she has always taken in dealing with small nations. She is a swaggerer and a bully except when the other party is a country of her own size.

As a $75,000 claim led England to seize one of Nicaragua's ports, what will her $2,000,000 or $3,000,000 claim against Honduras prompt her to do? The outlook for the last-named country is nearly as bad as that was for the Asiatic tribes which aroused the cupidity of Genghis Khan.

The new repeating rifles carrying two miles or more are bad for revolutions who usually have to fight with all sorts of weapons and ammunition. The advantage in modern arms possessed by the Spanish troops in Cuba will almost give them immunity from harm in a pitched battle.

The changes of policy on the part of Emperor William of Germany are so sudden and erratic as to suggest anew the query if the young man is not a trifle "off" in the upper story. His tacit alliance with Russia and France against Japan does not meet with the approval of the German nation.

The territory Great Britain demands from Venezuela embraces 60,000 square miles more than was claimed in 1840. This is an area larger than that of Illinois. As Venezuela has not sold any of the land nor given it away, the British title to it should be clearly explained for the benefit of other American republics.

Perhaps the scheme for the union of the Central American nations may be helped by the present complications of one of them. If Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, San Salvador and Nicaragua were under one government, the last-named country would not be quite so defenseless against England as she is now.

The French are not unanimous in regard to colonizing Madagascar. French colonies are expensive luxuries, the conquest of Tonquin having cost $106,000,000, with an annual deficit in addition. An appropriation of $15,000,000 for the Madagascar army is only one of the preliminary items of expense in that quarter.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has sued the city of Chicago for the recovery of damages in the destruction and injury of its property during the strike of last July. The suit was brought for $16,010, the actual damages sustained by the loss and injury to property and $30,000 exemplary damages, the total demand being $46,010.

"Carmen" is 20 years old. The anniversary was observed at the Paris Opera Comique by the 627th performance of the opera. Among the singers was M. Barnolt, the sole survivor of the original cast. He has taken the part of Remondado, the comic bandit, at every performance. Mme. Bizet, with M. Meilhac and Halevy, the authors of the libretto, presented him a gold watch.

The sloop Vigilant has arrived at New York. She made the run across the Atlantic in eighteen days. It will be remembered that last spring she crossed the ocean in fourteen days and eight hours. These remarkable voyages of the fast American centerboarder completely refute the insinuations of British yachtsmen that center board yachts are not safe boats for long distance cruising.

A British naval officer says in the course of a paper recently published that our warships do not compare unfavorably with those built in Europe. Americans fancy that they proved this as long ago as 1812-14, and that we had at that time something better than the ships in the sailors who manned them. They were few in number, but they towed many a dismantled British fighter into port.

Spanish soldiers dislike service in Cuba because few of them according to past experience, can hope to see their native country again. European troops sent to America have not been lucky as a rule. King George invested over $25,000,000 in hiring 29,165 Hessians to help subdue the American colonies, and 11,843 of these mercenaries perished before the end of the war.

Mars is far more distant from the sun than the earth is, but if the latest observations of astronomers are right, our neighboring planet suffers from decidedly hot summers. The polar snow caps on Mars melted entirely last year, which adds strength to the theory that the solar ray is electrical and not heat in itself, though capable of exciting it. The Martians apparently have no trouble in reaching the poles on their globe, and they must form pleasant resorts during the heated ... The great new telescopes to be ...n Mars are likely to furnish Class...sting items.

AROUND THE GLOBE

DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

All Important Occurrences of the Past Week, Boiled Down and Arranged for Rapid Reading, From Home and Abroad.

From the Nation's Capital.

The United States treasury deficit for the current year is expected to reach $45,000,000.

Maj.-Gen. Ruger has been transferred from Chicago to Washington for special duty with the secretary of war.

The interior department is taking steps to have the numerous abandoned military reservations scattered over the country opened for settlement.

Librarian Spofford of Washington says that the old "Trilby" brought forward in the Denver infringement suit was unlike Du Maurier's work in all save the name.

Medical Inspector Edward Kerenner of the navy is to be tried by courtmartial at New York for perjury. This is the first time in the memory of the department when a naval officer has been charged with false swearing.

Advices received at the Venezuelan legation at Washington state that a popular subscription has been opened at Caracas for the statue of President Monroe, which is to commemorate the Monroe doctrine. Manuel Carrion opens the subscription with 100 bolivars, a coin equivalent to a franc.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. T. J. Russell of Cleveland, O., mother of Ella Russell, the singer, died in London.

John Lincoln, a cousin of the martyred President, is in a poorhouse at Reading, Pa.

W. B. Mitchell, one of the oldest residents and largest landowners of Stephenson county, Ill., is dead.

Judge Charles E. Walker, leading attorney of Jefferson county, Ind., died of la grippe at the age of 78.

Maj. Moses P. Handy has accepted an editorial position on the Chicago Times-Herald.

Representative Hitt is slightly better, but there is little hope for his recovery.

Ex-Senator W. W. Berry died at his home in Vincennes, Ind., aged 72 years. He was president of the Knox County Agricultural association.

Miss Frances Gale, granddaughter of Bishop Gen. Leonidas Polk, was married to Dr. F. W. Ring of New York at Nashville, Tenn.

The condition of Mrs. Della Parnell, who was asaulted at Bordentown, N. J., is somewhat improved and there are hopes for her recovery.

The will of Mrs. Mary E. Richmond of Batavia, N. Y., widow of Dean Richmond the famous railroad and steamboat man, leaves an estate of $15,000,000 to be divided among her children.

J. Jay Watson, of Brooklyn is the owner of a violin which it is claimed was formerly used by Ole Bull. The violin is said to have been made by the Amati Bros. the same year Shakespeare died.

Mrs. Doreas Antle, widow of Dr. Francis Antle, the first mayor of Petersburg, Ill., was buried at Petersburg. Mrs. Antle died in California from the effect of poison taken by mistake. She was 62 years of age.

J. W. Ridgeway, 90 years old and a prominent resident of Wabash, Ind., is dead. He was a director in the early organization of the Pan-Handle and Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan railways.

Rev. Albert Mann, Ph. D., has been elected to fill the chair of biology at the Ohio Wesleyan university of Delaware. Mr. Mann graduated in the classical course of Wesleyon university, Middletown, Conn., in 1879.

Unfortunate Events.

Samuel Bryan, while cleaning a gun, accidentally shot and killed Miss Dora Ryder, aged 19, at Greentown, O.

Miss Lizzie Gruber was fatally injured at Jeffersonville, Ind., by being thrown from a carriage.

The worst hail and electrical storm in years swept over Denver. All the arc lights in the city were burned out.

The Chelsea ferryboat crashed into Hanover slip at Boston and forty passengers got a severe shaking up. Two persons were seriously injured.

The excursion steamer Kittie Stockdale lost her rudder near Pittsburg. There were 622 passengers and great excitement prevailed for a time.

Henry Stephenson fell into a mining shaft 140 feet deep at Stott City, Mo. He was drowned, but there was not a bruise on his body.

John Herron formerly an Indianapolis (Ind.) real estate dealer, was fatally burned in a lodging house at Los Angeles, Cal. His neice was also severely burned.

Fire got such headway in the wholesale grocery of J. H. Mohlman & Co., New York, that the walls caved in before an alarm was given. The loss is $75,000.

Emil Furrer, a farmer, and Jacob Katt of New Milford, Conn., were burned to death in a barn near that town. The fire was of incendiary origin. The two victims were sleeping in the barn.

In a runaway Fayette S. Johnson, principal of the schools of Spring Valley, Ill., received a compound fracture of the thigh bone, besides serious internal injuries. He lies in a precarious condition. Joseph Hercer was severely injured.

The state hospital for insane at Watkins, N. Y. was partly burned. The loss was small, but the excitement among the inmates was intense while the fire raged.

Julia McCabe, a passenger on the east bound Baltimore & Ohio express, committed suicide by jumping from the train near Tiffin, O., and striking on her head.

Criminal Doings.

Dr. James Stathers, a bone doctor, was arrested at Monmouth, Ill., for practicing medicine without a license.

Despondency caused Nelson Farney, aged 24, to shoot and kill himself in Concord township Ia.

Nightwatchman Frank Axley was murdered at Cairo, Ill. Two negroes have been arrested on suspicion.

At Kansas City Charles Carey quarreled with 'Pudding" Clune over a young lady and Clune was killed.

Defaulting County Collector George Hall of St. Joseph Mo., is thought to be in Los Angeles, Cal. A reward of $200 is offered.

L. R. Jerome, a near relative of the late Larry Jerome and Lady Churchill of England, is under arrest at Prescott, Ariz., for stealing a watch.

Charles Carey shot and instantly killed James Cune, alias "Pudding" Clune in Kansas City, Kansas.

A. A. Edgerton was fined $1,500 in Council Bluffs, Ia., for false swearing in support of his mother's pension claim.

Ambrose Edwards was arrested at Jeffersonville, Ind., charged with beating his wife so severely that she may die.

Henry Marshall of Warm Springs Creek, Mont., shot and killed Jesse Davis. The trouble was over an irrigation ditch.

George Oyler was arrested at Logansport, Ind., charged with embezzling $3,091 from J. E. Snell & Co., for whom he worked.

In a raid on 'moonshiners" near Huntington, W. V., Lee Ward was killed and 100 persons, including 20 women, were arrested.

Postmaster Gooding shot and killed a Choctaw at Grant I. T. The Choctaw had tried to kill a negro and then Gooding when the latter interfered.

The body of Julia Curtis aged 23, who had gone into the woods near Traverse City, Mich., to search for arbutus, was found in a swamp. It is thought she met with foul play.

William Wellsworth the famous breeder of Poland China hogs, killed George Filweber a hired man, and then committed suicide at Woodstock, Ill.

Ernest A. Tracey, a contractor of St. Joseph, Mich., is dying from an assault by an unknown man. He was knocked down on the street and his skull crushed.

James Young janitor at the Brazil Ind., courthouse shot and killed his wife at Hoosierville. Then he returned to the courthouse and committed suicide.

Pinkerton men at Chicago have arrested Tom Metzel on a charge of having got $6,000 from the National bank of Butte, Mont., by means of a forged check.

Edward Tucker a merchant at Port Tampa, Fla., was taken from his home and unmercifully whipped by female whitecaps. Tucker had ill-treated his wife.

James R. Holland, cashier of the Charlotte, N. C., Farmers and Merchants' National bank who fled last Tuesday night, surrendered to the officers.

Mrs. Martha Wallen of Blackwater, Va., stabbed Mrs. Jane Wallace to death with a pitchfork. The murder was the outcome of jealousy on the part of Mrs. Wallen.

Robert Knox, the American forger who has been in prison at Belem, Mex., for two years, has been released. His wife, who was arrested at the same time, died in jail.

Near Alfordsville, Ind., David Grismore shot and fatally wounded a young man named Sherman Allen. Grismore is sixty-one years of age, and claims that Allen is the cause of his daughter's downfall.

Six robbers attempted to hold up a train on the Northern Pacific at the Cascade mountain tunnel. A posse on board the train took the bandits in custody without a shot being fired on either side.

The skeleton of Johanna Logue, wife of "Jimmy" Logue, the crook, has been found at Philadelphia. She was murdered sixteen years ago. It was not Logue, but a stepson, now under arrest, who killed the woman.

Mrs. W. R. Webb, of Sioux City, Ia., was housecleaning and concealed $3,000 worth of jewelry in some safe place, just where she cannot remember. When she looked for it it could not be found. The police believe it was stolen.

Foreign.

Half the town of Dubno in Russia has been destroyed by fire.

There has been an outbreak of cholera at the naval station of Moji in Southern Japan.

Maj. Weissman, the well-known German explorer, has been appointed governor of German East Africa.

Troops had to be called out in the City of Mexico to quell striking street porters at the custom house. The strikers finally returned to work.

President Diaz has opened the ports of Tampico, Guayrnas and Vera Cruz for the entrance of bonded goods in transit to the free zone.

Grand Trunk railway directors had a stormy meeting in London. An adjournment for a week finally had to be taken.

The condition of the Duke of Orleans who broke his leg while out hunting near Seville, is serious. A slight attack of pneumonia is complicating matters.

Count von Reventlow the Danish minister at Washington has been appointed minister for Denmark at Rome. M. C. Brun, the secretary of the Danish legation at Paris, succeeds Count von Reventlow as Danish minister at Washington.

At the marriage of Theodore Brinckman to a step-daughter of Lord Aylesford at London, when the words "if any man can show just cause, etc., were reached, the Rev. Father Black, who was in the gallery, protested against the marriage because the groom was a divorced man.

Otherwise.

It was decided by a popular vote to consolidate Clinton and Lyons, Iowa.

The National Association of Railway Surgeons is in session at Chicago.

Ohio oil took a 5-cent drop at Toledo.

St. Louis police are after "mashers." One particularly offensive fellow was fined $100 and costs.

The first consignment of apricots this season has been from Sacramento to Chicago.

The Pennsylvania Supreme court has decided that bicyclists must pay toll on turnpikes.

Sir Henry Tyler resigns as president of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada.

It is reported that the New York World will join the ranks of 3-cent papers.

Bacteria in milk has caused an epidemic of typhoid fever at Stamford, Conn.

Millions of army worms have appeared on one or two farms near Danville, Ky., devasting all vegetation.

More than $100,000 has been subscribed in Philadelphia toward the establishment of a school for wayward Catholic boys.

Every iron ship in the San Francisco harbor with one exception has been chartered. This is a condition which has never before been at that port.

The 30 coatmakers of Baltimore, members of the United Garment Makers of America, opposed to the sweating system are out on a strike.

a prominent farmer west of Brazil, Ind., left his home Tuesday of last week and his family has heard nothing from him.

New York ministers have agreed that religion is a commodity and that to be successful churches must advertise.

The Kentucky state board of equalization has increased the assessments of state property $14,000,000 above the total valuation of county assessors.

The alleged strike involving 20,000 Ohio coal miners is merely the annual suspension that will continue until the scale for the year May 1 is signed.

Stockholders of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Michigan railroad want the recent foreclosure sale to R. C. Martin annulled.

Lord Sholto Douglas, second son of the Marquis of Queensberry, is now frequenting San Francisco racetracks. He is pretty seedy.

Daniel Cort of Zwingle, Iowa, dropped dead at his library table. He was 80 years old and had lived in Dubuque county fifty years.

A sand bearing oil has been discovered in a tunnel being driven at Douglass, Wyo., for irrigation purposes.

The men employed by the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company near Pittsburg, repudiated the strike order. They said in convention they were satisfied with the 55-cent rate.

The will of David M. Stone, editor of the New York Journal of Commerce for nearly fifty years, shows that he left an estate of $45,000 to relatives, friends and servants.

The wool crop of Wabash county, Ind., is reported by Wabash buyers to be almost a failure this season. Very little is coming in and the dealers do not anticipate an increase in receipts.

The Georgia W. C. T. U., state convention has adjourned without discussing female suffrage, the emphatic protest of the minister of the church where sessions were held preventing any discussion of the question.

Perry Bowser, a former inmate of the Soldiers' home at Dayton, Ohio, and who lived at Elwood, Ind., recently, with his family has disappeared and it is feared he has gone insane again.

Miss Lou Parsons, a young woman of remarkable beauty, who represented herself several days ago as a professional model from eastern studios, is lying dangerously sick at Kansas City from peritonitis. It is said that she is a member of a wealthy and most respectable family in the east, and that she came west on account of a disappointment in love.

BIG RIOT IN CHICAGO.

SERIOUS TIMES AT THE ILLINOIS STEEL COMPANY'S PLANT.

Twelve Hundred Men Strike and Later Assault Men Who Had Remained at Work—The Police Take a Hand in the Fight.

Chicago, May .—A serious strike occurred at the plant of the Illinois Steel company in South Chicago yesterday, 1,200 men throwing down their tools and walking out. Last evening a fight occurred in the company's yards, and it was found necessary to call in the police. The strikers for a time stood their ground against the officers, but were soon routed and driven from the premises. The men most seriously hurt were:

Jack Shepherd, a machinist, struck on the head by a hammer in the hands of a striker; severe scalp wound, rendered unconscious, will recover.

Edward Shaska, striker, thrown out of machine shop by workmen; body bruises.

Officer Leidendecker, hit with a coupling pin; bad cut over right eye.

Officer Patrick McCauley, hit in mouth with brick.

Twenty-eight men, who are said to have been the leaders of the strikers at the rioting were arrested and locked up at the South Chicago police station. They are charged with rioting. They are all ignorant Hungarians, Poles and Bohemians.

The strikers were at first disposed to be orderly and peaceable, but later affairs took on an ugly aspect, and it was found necessary to call on the police to drive them out. Shortly before six o'clock a crowd numbering 1,600 men forced their way past the watchmen at one of the gates and proceeded to take possession of the company's property. They marched first to where some of the laboring men were still at work, and either compelled them to join their ranks or quit work. Not much trouble was experienced with the laborers, but when the strikers reached the machine shops where about 400 machinists were employed, they met with a different reception. The machinists have a scale of their own and the fight of the other men made no particular difference to them, and they refused either to quit or to allow themselves to be driven out of the yards. The strikers, who, for the most part were Hungarians and Poles, made several attempts to persuade the machinists to leave their work, but finding them unsuccessful, they began an attack upon the machine shop with stones and such weapons as they could pick up. The machinists, for the most part, stood their ground and gave the strikers as good as they sent. The fight was growing warm, and broken heads and bloody noses were growing very common when the police, who had been summoned when the fight first began, arrived. They were under the command of Capt. Jenkins, who at once made a charge on the mob with his handful of officers. The strikers at first refused to give ground, and the police used their clubs freely. This did not have the desired effect, and Capt. Jenkins ordered his men to draw their revolvers and fire over the heads of the strikers. As soon as this was done the mob broke and fled wildly from the premises of the company.

The health authorities of a number of States have recently made exhaustive examinations of the baking powders with the uniform result of finding the Royal superior to all others.

Geological Survey.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 9. — It has been decided by the trustees of the state school of mines and the board of regents having in charge the educational institutions in the Black Hills to run a geological survey from Rapid City to the coal deposits on the Grand river. Prof. J. E. Todd, state geologist, will have charge of the department of geology on the expedition, and Prof. F. C. Smith, of the school of mines, will look after the economic and mining departments. The same faculty has been retained at the school of mines for the ensuing year. The school has during the past year shown marked advancement and has had the largest registration since the foundation of the institution.

The A. P. A.

Milwaukee, May 9 — The supreme council of the American Protective association will begin its eighth annual session in Liberty hall to-morrow morning. The committee on credentials held its first annual session this morning. About 150 representatives are already in the city. It is expected that every state and territory will be represented except Mississippi, New Mexico and the Indian Territory, and that upward of 400 delegates will occupy seats on the floor of the hall.

Gov. Turney Inaugurated.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9. — To-day Gov. Turney was inaugurated in the hall of representatives, which was festooned with bunting and decorated with plants and flowers for the occasion. A large attendance from neighboring towns was present.

The Royal Baking Powder is the greatest of the modern time helps to perfect cooking and every receipt requiring a raising ingredient should embody it.

Jackson's Church Damaged.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9.—The little historic church built by Gen. Andrew Jackson and his wife near the hermitage in 1823, was badly damaged by a storm yesterday. A tree was blown upon it, crushing in the roof, and the interior was badly damaged by water

Killed by Cars.

Wabasha, Minn., May 9.—The body of an unknown man was found this morning near the depot, supposed from papers found on the body, to have been T. Cockroft of Milwaukee. He evidently was killed by cars while trying to steal a ride.

Ito at the Foo.

Che Foo, May 9.—Count Ito, president of the Japanese council of ministers, arrived here to-day in order to be present at the exchange of the ratifications of the treaty of peace.

STRIKE EXTENDING.

The Labor Troubles in Sheboygan More Serious.

Sheboygan, Wis., May 4.—This afternoon the entire force of the Crocker chair factory, to the number of 500 men, walked out and paraded the streets. The Crocker Chair company has the biggest chair factory in the United States, having two large factories, with branch houses at New York, Chicago, and Minneapolis. There seems to be little doubt that the strike will become general throughout the city. The C. L. Roenitz Leather company voluntarily raised wages 10 per cent, but the men demanded 20 per cent, and nearly 200 walked out. The Mattoon Manufacturing company have offered their men a raise of 10 per cent, but the offer has been refused.

SOUTH DAKOTA LOSES.

Its Claim Against the United States Is Not Upheld.

Washington, May 4.—An opinion in the case of South Dakota against the United States for a claim of 50,000 acres of the Yankton Indian reservation has been written by the attorney of the land department. It is against the claim of the state having choice of allotment. Before becoming effective the opinion must be passed on by Secretary Smith and the president. Secretary Smith is in Georgia, and it will be some days yet before the reservation is opened.

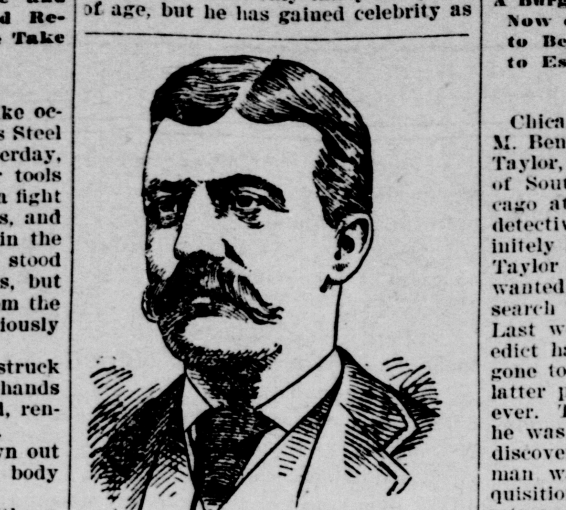
Supposed to Have Suicided.

Brainerd, Minn., May 4.—The body of Jacob Hamerle was found in Wabadah lake yesterday by Frank Raynor. Hamerle disappeared last November from a lumber camp, and it is thought to be a case of suicide. He was a middle-aged man and had no known relatives in this country.

POLICE COMMISSIONER

Theodore Roosevelt Assumes His New Position in New York.

New York, May 9.—Theodore Roosevelt has taken the oath of office as one of the three police commissioners. Mr. Roosevelt is only thirty-five years of age, but he has gained celebrity as



Theodore Roosevelt.

a writer, politician and as a huntsman. He is a scion of an old New York family and was himself born in the metropolis. Mr. Roosevelt claims literature as a profession. He has served three terms in the New York legislature and was the Republican candidate for mayor of New York city in 1886. As a writer he has delved deeply in fields of American history, politics and out-door sports.

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Walter S. Haines, M. D."

Chemist to the Chicago Board of Health.

VIRGINIA FEUD.

It Results in Three Dead and One Fatally Wounded.

Sergeant, Ky., May 9. — Wagoners have brought the news to this place that the Gilley boys and Joe and Will Day met near their homes on Indian creek, nine miles from Norton, Va., and engaged in a deadly battle which resulted in the death of the three Gilley boys and the fatal wounding of Joe Day. This is the word received. The truth of the details cannot at this time be stated, but it is further reported that Will Day, one of the participants, is in the Wise county jail. The two factions have been at war for some time, the bad feeling growing out of the elopement of one of the Gilleys with a Day girl, sister of Joe and Will, in 1893. The bloodshed just reported is the first that has resulted from the feeling between the two factions.

BIGAMOUS INDIANS.

A Sioux Chief to Be Tried for Having Too Many Wives.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 9.—American Horse, a prominent Sioux chief, arrested last week on the charge of bigamy, has been held to the United States grand jury in the sum of $3000. He is accused of having four wives. The crime of bigamy has heretofore received no attention from the government, and Indians have had enough wives to support them with impunity. Now the government has come in and threatens to make an example of American Horse, with a view to scaring the reds out of the practice. Dearly and Ghost Dog, two other Slouxs, were each held in a similar bond of $300 for stealing cattle. All three Indians furnished bonds and returned to the reservation.

There is no baking powder which produces such sweet and tasteful food as the Royal Baking Powder.

DINWOODIE'S BODY.

It Is Found Floating in the Bay at Duluth.

Duluth, Minn., May 9.—The mystery concerning the disappearance of George Dinwoodie, who used to be in the coal business in Duluth, but of late has been with the Lehigh Coal and Iron company at St. Paul, was cleared up this morning, when the captain of the steamer Mayflower, which plies between Duluth and Superior, discovered the body of a man floating in the water about thirty feet out from Dock No. 1, of the Northwestern Fuel company, at the foot of Fifth avenue west, and only two blocks from the depot. The remains were unrecognizable, but the name in Dinwoodie's hat told the story.

G. A. R. IN IOWA.

Suspicious and Auspicious Opening of the State Encampment.

Clinton, Iowa, May 9.—The opening day of the state encampment, G. A. R., of Iowa, here, is fairly pleasant with thousands of boys in blue, Sons of Veterans and members of the Woman's Relief corps. Among the noted visitors already here are Commander-in-Chief Thomas G. Lawler, Gov. Frank D. Jackson of Iowa and Department Commander Newman. The grand parade, in which several thousand were in line, started at 2 p. m. Camp fires, addressed by prominent men, were held in Davis' opera house and three of the churches.

Oscar Wilde at Liberty.

London, May 9—Oscar Wilde was released on bail to-day, after furnishing a personal bond for $12,500 and two sureties in $6,250 each.

Driven Ashore.

Trempealeau, Wis., May 9. — The steamer Cyclone with a lumber raft in tow for the Tabor Company of Keokuk, Iowa, was caught in a storm while rounding the bend at the head of the upper island, and was blown ashore, the raft breaking in pieces.

Down an Elevator Shaft.

St. Louis, May 9.—John M. Chandler, aged sixty, a leading attorney of this city, was instantly killed to-day by falling down the elevator shaft of the Security building.

EVICTIONS ABANDONED.

Tenants Will Be Unmolested During the Court's Decision.

Pender, Neb., May 4.—Capt. Breck has abandoned his intention of evicting the tenants until the courts settle the contention. J. F. Meyers, head of the land company, has just returned from a trip over the reservation, and reports that while the settlers were prepared to resist the Indian police, there was, happily, no opportunity for action in that direction. The settlers have now gained confidence and are busy at work putting in their crops. Only twenty-four hours remain for Capt. Breck to habeas corpus the two Indian police in the Pender jail.

Requisition for Whiteman.

Albany, N. Y., May 4.—Gov. Morton gave a hearing this afternoon and granted a requisition to the governor of California for the custody of A. J. Whiteman, who is charged with having forged a check for $500 in San Francisco. Whiteman was arrested in New York about a week ago.

Selected a North Dakota Man.

Helena, Mont., May 4.—The state board of education selected President Webster Merrifield, of the University of North Dakota, at Grand Forks, to be president of the Montana state university, located at Missoula. The Montana institution will open its doors this fall.

Held for Extradition.

Washington, May 4.—A telegram received at the secret service bureau from Hamilton, Ont., states that Mrs. M. L. Mack, charged with being a member of the Chicago postage stamp counterfeiting gang, was to-day committed for extradition.

Royal Arcanum.

Milwaukee, May 4.—The seventeenth annual session of the Wisconsin grand council of the Royal Arcanum convened here to-day.

BENEDICT IS RUN IN.

HOT TIMES FOR A WHILE AT NEW RICHMOND, WIS.

A Burglar Takes Refuge in a Hotel Now on His Way to South Dakota to Be Tried for Assisting Taylor to Escape.

Chicago, May 8.—The arrest of H. M. Benedict, brother-in-law of W. W. Taylor, the defaulting state treasurer of South Dakota, took place in Chicago at the Leland hotel. Pinkerton detectives say that it has been definitely learned that Benedict assisted Taylor to escape. He has been wanted for some time, and constant search for him has been kept up. Last week it was learned that Benedict had been in this city, but had gone to New York. A search of the latter place failed to find him, however. Then word was received that he was still in Chicago, and he was discovered at the Leland hotel. A man was sent to Springfield for requisition papers, and as soon as he returned Benedict was placed under arrest and immediately taken aboard the train for South Dakota. The fact of the arrest was kept secret until after he was on the train.

KILRAIN WHIPPED.

He Is Knocked Out by Steve O'Donnell of Australia.

Coney Island, N. Y., May 8.—Steve O'Donnell knocked Jake Kilrain out in the twenty-first round. In the last round Jake's face showed evident signs of his punishment, but he was still very game. He led off with his right on the neck. O'Donnell fought him around the ring. When at close quarters he put his right on the body and sent his left over the jaw. Kilrain fell like a log to the floor of the ring, and although he managed to get up within the required ten seconds, the referee, Tim Hurst, stopped the bout at the request of the police. Jake would have been put out with one more punch. Time of last round, 1:18. Time of fight, 1:20:10.

CATHOLIC INSTITUTIONS.

Missouri Christian Endeavorers Raise an Objection.

Sedalia, Mo., May 8. — Before final adjournment the Missouri convention of Christian Endeavor society adopted a resolution that in various places in Missouri for many years past the action of the United States has been violated and civil liberty outraged in that helpless girls and women have been illegally, cruelly and without due process of law, deprived of their liberty and incarcerated, held indefinitely in a condition of slavery in prison houses not recognized by the laws of the state, viz.: Nunneries, reformatories, convents and other institutions of like nature, from which they cannot be classed by existing laws, except by except by expensive litigation. The session requested that the governor recommend to the legislature, now in session, the legislation which shall prevent the unwarranted detention of any person in this state.

ENDED HIS LIFE.

Sleepy Eye the Scene of a Drunken Row and Midnight Tragedy.

Sleepy Eye, Minn., May 8.—A row on the street at 11 o'clock last evening ended in a tragedy. Alfred Koecherie, a young man twenty years of age, a tinner by trade in the employ of Hanson & Goettsche, shot Fritz Koehne, a young associate, in the neck and afterward committed suicide. The trouble started during the afternoon in Eade's saloon, where Koehne was tending bar. A dispute about change was the cause, although it is said that a feud has been on between the young fellows for over a year. Koehne will recover.

HYDROPHOBIA VICTIMS.

A Faribault Police Officer May Die From a Bite.

Faribault, Minn., May 8. — Policeman Louis Joachim lies at his home at the point of death from the effects of a dog bite received a month or more ago. Precautions were taken at the time, but last Friday he went home sick, and late last evening symptoms of hydrophobia developed that may prove fatal. A mad dog belonging to a man named Gilbelyon has bitten the son of Otto Stroberger, also a son of Daniel Donohue.

Compelled to Climb Trees.

Houghton, Tex., May 8. — Reports from Eastern Texas tell of a regular spout which fell yesterday. A dispatch from Nacodoches states that miles of fencing was washed away and a bridge on Bonita bayou was carried away, and a mile of railroad track on the East & West Texas here was washed out. Thirteen sections of a bridge on this road were carried off by the torrent. Judge Lomis, Dr. Barham, Henry Carroway, George Barham and Hub Lewis were compelled to climb trees by the fast rising water and were not rescued until to-day.

A Strike On.

Duluth, Minn., May 8.—A strike is on in the Franklin-Rockefeller mine on the Mesaba iron range. Three hundred and fifty men are out, and it is possible that the trouble may spread. The trouble was precipitated by the loaders, who demand that all the men in the mine be paid higher wages.

Probably Destroyed.

Bay City, Mich., May 8. — Greenwood is believed to have been destroyed by forest fires.

Hail Storm in Omaha.

Omaha, May 8—A terrific hail storm did much damage in Omaha to-day. Hail stones filled the streets. Much property was destroyed, mostly glass and young trees. The damage will amount to thousands of dollars. Few glass remain in windows fronting the streets.

American Sculptors.

New York, May 8.—The second annual exhibition of the national sculpture society opened to-day at the galleries of the fine arts building.

PERSONATION OF DEITY.

Its Punishment the Object of a Measure in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Special.—A bill was introduced in the legislature to-day which is aimed at Schweinfurth, the Rockford "Christ." It provides that whoever assumes or pretends to be the Deity or assumes to possess the attributes of the Deity, or whoever falsely assumes or pretends to be the Son of God or Jesus Christ, or holds himself out to the world as possessing either or any of the attributes generally attributed to the Deity, or whoever claims to be the incarnation of what is commonly known and called the saving graces of the Holy Ghost or Jesus Christ, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary from one to two years.

Normal School Diplomas.

St. Paul, Special.—State Superintendent of Schools Pendergast and Chairman Pattee, of the state normal school board, signed the diplomas for graduates of the state normal schools yesterday. The registration for graduation at the various schools is as follows:

Elementary Course — Winona, 90; Mankato, 65; St Cloud, 30; Moorhead, 6. Total, 181.

Advanced Course — Winona, 40; Mankato, 30; St. Cloud, 35; Moorhead, 7. Total, 112; making a grand total of 293.

Ball Wants Boodle.

Kansas City Mo, Special.—Frank M. Ball, formerly yard clerk for the Missouri Pacific railway at this point, brought suit against that corporation in the circuit court to-day to recover $5,000 damages. Ball claims that he has been blacklisted by the Missouri Pacific railway, and that it is using its influence to prevent him from obtaining work.

MINNEAPOLIS MURDER.

Jealousy Causes Fritz Williams to Kill H. W. Thomas.

Minneapolis, May 8—Mad with jealous rage, Fritz Williams fired a shot which put out the life of H. W. Thomas, superintendent of the Soo telegraph. Williams has confessed.

At 1:15 a. m. Ward Hansel and W. H. Dickenson were passing the corner of Thirty-second and Chicago avenue. The body of a man was seen lying beside the crosswalk, his head almost touching it. A hasty examination showed that murder had been done. The residence of R. L. Berglund was nearest the scene of the murder, and on being roused the family identified the body as that of Thomas. The body bore no marks of robbery, there being $35 in his pocket and some valuable jewelry. The motive, however, was quickly divined when the Berglunds stated that Thomas had been calling there last evening.

A daughter of Mr. Berglund was married about two years ago to Fritz Williams. The marriage was a Hudson affair. Williams was a young fellow of indifferent reputation and for some time was clerk at the Windsor hotel, which was then operated by Mr. Berglund. Mr. Thomas also lived at the Windsor. A few months ago Mrs. Williams began proceedings for a divorce. Since their removal from the Windsor hotel, Thomas had been a frequent visitor at the Berglund's. Williams was found at his home on Chicago avenue. He admitted the shooting. Through his attorney, Williams made the following statement:

"I went up to Berglund's house to see my wife, and when I arrived there I saw her and Thomas sitting in the dark by the window. This enraged me beyond all power of control. I walked up and down for some time and then finally waited for Thomas by the little church on the corner. About 10:45 he came out. It was raining. He raised his umbrella. He crossed the street and turned his back upon me and I drew a revolver from my pocket. I walked quickly up to him and, just as he turned, poked the gun into his face and fired. He dropped without a groan, and I made my way home."

SCHOOL SUPPLIES LOST.

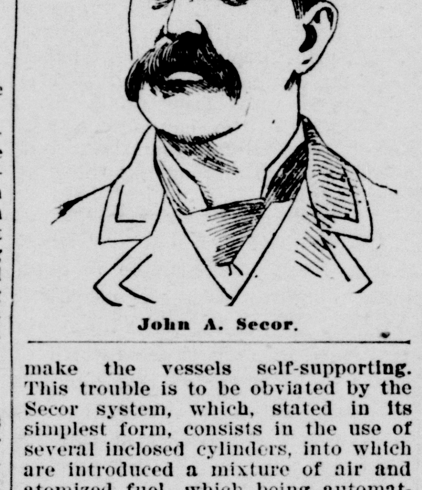
Serious Fire in a Business Block at Sioux Falls.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 8. — Fire, which started in some unknown manner last evening in the Syndicate block, a four-story brick, damaged equivalent to a complete loss $34,700 worth of school supplies of the Chicago School Supply company, managed here by Earl V. Norton. The supplies were mostly books and maps which are easily damaged both by smoke and water, and it was necessary to turn on three big streams of water in order to save the block, which was built at a cost of $90,000. Manager Stout, of Stout's orchestra, lost $250 worth of music. The Cooperative Savings and Loan association sustained some loss by water. The damaged property was insured for $25,000.

GREAT INVENTION.

That of John A. Secor, a Rival of Edison.

New York, May 8.—A trial will soon be made of the invention of John A. Secor, whom Edison is obliged to recognize as a rival. The invention is a system of marine propulsion. The immense amount of fuel which it is necessary for transatlantic steamers to carry occupies so much space that not enough passengers and merchandise in addition can be carried to



John A. Secor.

make the vessels self-supporting. This trouble is to be obviated by the Secor system, which, stated in its simplest form, consists in the use of several inclosed cylinders, into which are introduced a mixture of air and atomized fuel, which being automatically ignited is discharged directly against the external water at the stern of the vessel. The instantaneous expulson of the gases drives the vessel forward in the water just as a rocket is elevated in the air. The expulsions under perfect control, are produced with regularity and average 300 per minute. This invention, it is thought, will cause as great a commercial revolution as that which followed the original introduction of steam.

An Editor Arrested.

Kearney, Neb., May 7—W. R. Reese, editor of the Kearney Journal, is under arrest charged with forgery in connection with county warrants. It is claimed that he raised in many cases the warrants, and that the amount involved is in the thousands

Shoes Go Up.

Brockton, Mass., May 8.—Brockton manufacturers have decided almost unanimously to increase the price of shoes from 15 to 20 cents a pair.

Train Robber Treed.

Marcus, Cal., May 8.—Sheriff Smith has located two suspicious characters supposed to be the Marysville train robbers, at a lonely spot four miles west of here. They refuse to allow any one to approach their place of concealment. A posse has gone to arrest them.

Banker Dead.

Wausau, Wis., May 7.—Jacob Poff, vice president of the First National bank, one of the best known residents of this city, died last evening.

WRECKERS AT WORK.

Tie Placed on the Track of the Great Western Railroad.

Marshalltown Iowa, Special.—The north-bound passenger train on the Chicago & Great Western railroad was wrecked between Green Mountain and Gladbrook late last night by striking a tie. It is learned the tie was placed on the track by miscreants. The engine and three coaches were thrown down a five-foot embankment, and are now lying in the ditch. The track is not cleared at this hour (11 a. m.). The baggageman and brakeman were slightly injured, but the rest of the crew and the passengers escaped unhurt.

Michigan Central Annual.

Detroit, Special.—The Michigan Central annual meeting was held this morning. The stockholders present were Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, Edwin D. Worcester, Ashley Pond, George H. Russell, Emory Wendell and C. M. Davidson. The annual report showed that the earnings had suffered a drop of $3,594,017 below the receipts of 1893, but the expenses also exhibited a decrease of $3,143,684. The net earnings were $3,439,905. The entire directorate was re-elected.

Two Years of Work.

St. Paul, Special.—Grand Secretary Montgomery has just completed a register for the Masonic fraternity, which contains the name of every Mason that has been affiliated with any lodge in this state since 1849. The record shows that nearly 20,000 persons have been raised to the degree of Master Mason, while nearly 10,000 more were added by card. It took over two years to prepare the register, and it is considered a most valuable set of records.

AN IMPORTANT CASE.

IT COMES UP BEFORE THE UNITED STATES COURT.

A Suit for an Estoppel—The Eureka Chemical Company, of La Crosse, Makes the Trouble.

Papers have been filed in the United States court of the western district of Wisconsin by Tarrant & Kronshage, attorneys for the Sterling Remedy company, of Chicago and New York, in a suit for estoppel and damages against an imitation of No-to-bac, the tobacco habit cure. The action is brought against a concern called the Eureka Chemical company, of La Crosse, Wis.

The principles involved in these proceedings are of the utmost importance to the proprietary interests of America in general, and form in many respects, a test case, the outcome of which will be carefully watched by the many other important manufacturing concerns similarly imitated. Not only the question of imitation of name, trade-mark, form of preparation and package, enter into the case, but also the proposition whether the actual advertising literature used in establishing the publicity of a preparation can be stolen with impunity, word for word, by an imitator. The decision in this case will settle one of the vital points in United States trade-mark and copyright law.—Madison (Wis.) Democrat.

PROVE AN ALIBI.

This is What Durant's Attorneys Expect to do.

San Francisco, May 9. — Theodore Durant's attorneys have discovered evidence which will enable them to establish an alibi for their client so far as the Williams murder case is concerned. A Market street hairdresser states that Marian Williams was a regular patron. She says Miss Williams entered her shop at 8 o'clock on the night of her disappearance. She had her hair dressed, leaving the shop at 8:25. It is estimated that by taking the car immediately she could not have reached Emanuel church until 8:50. Durant's counsel argued that Durant could not, therefore, have escorted her into the church, outraged and murdered her and then walked to Dr. Vogel's house, where he arrived at 9:15.

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Murderer Arraigned.

Minneapolis, May 8.—Frederick L. Williams, the slayer of H. W. Thomas, was arraigned in the municipal court this morning charged with murder in the first degree. The room was nearly empty, as it was generally understood that he would be brought before Judge Kerr at a later hour. F. C. Cook appeared as his attorney, and when Williams' name was called he promptly waived the reading of the complaint and examination in the municipal court. The court then bound him over to the grand jury without bail.

No Checks.

Washington, May 9.—The report that President Cleveland had sent a draft of $700 to a family in Decatur, Ind., on the occasion of the birth of triplets which were named for the president's household was pronounced to be without foundation at the White House today. In families where triplets occur, and where the president has been notified that they bear his name or the names of his family they receive a courteous letter of acknowledgment but no checks.

Bad for Insane People.

Milwaukee, May 9.—Court commissioners who have been looking into the subject say that the legislature failed to pass any laws making provision for the commitment of insane persons. There is no legal method today in Wisconsin whereby insane persons can be incarcerated in asylums, and there is no remedy if wardens and superintendents of asylums refuse admittance to the most violently insane person.

The statistics show that there is used in the manufacture of the Royal Baking Powder more than half of the cream of tartar consumed in the United States for all purposes. The wonderful sale thus indicated for the Royal Baking Powder—greater than that of all other baking powders combined—is perhaps the highest evidence of the superiority of this article, and of its indispensableness to modern cookery.

Good Crop Weather.

Washington, May 9.—The Weather bureau in its review of weather crop conditions for the week ended May 6 says: Generally the week has been very favorable. In the Northwestern states much needed, and for the present ample, rains have fallen, which, with unusually high temperatures, have been exceptionally favorable for germination of and rapid growth of all vegetation.

Attacked a Town.

Havana, May 9. — The insurgents this morning attacked the town of Cristo and burned three houses. During the engagement the Spanish troops lost one killed and six wounded. The loss of the insurgents is not known.

Not Arrested Yet.

Topeka, Kan., May 9.—Gov. Morrill returned to Topeka to-day but no warrant for arrest has been sworn out. Attorneys for Warden Chase still insist, however, that the arrest will be made, probably to morrow.

YOUNG TRAIN WRECKER.

Confesses to Having Placed an Obstruction on the Track.

Baraboo, Wis., Special.—About two weeks ago some obstruction was placed on the track near Devil's nose, a steep embankment a few miles south of here, by an unknown person, and but for the presence of mind of Engineer Luder, a passenger train would have been wrecked. As soon as the engine struck the obstruction Luder applied the air brakes, and only the engine left the track. Detective Jack Riley, of the Chicago & Northwestern, has been working on the case since that time and last night, assisted by Sheriff Hulbert, arrested Fred Wisner, a young lad living near Merrimac. Wisner is only fifteen years old. He has confessed.

When asked to give his reasons for having placed the bolts and spikes on the track the boy replied that he wanted to see the locomotive jump.

Business Houses Burned.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Special—Every business house except a restaurant and the depot in the village of Sand Lake, 25 miles north of here, were destroyed by fire to-day. Several residences were also burned, and there are not enough left to accommodate the homeless people. Three general stores, two drug stores, two hardware stores, one livery barn, one furniture store, two meat markets, the hotel, barber shop, wagon shop, and three groceries, were totally wiped out of existence. The total loss is estimated at $60,000, with less than $20,000 insurance.

More Miners Out.

Elkhorn, W. Va., Special.—All the miners in the Houston mines came out to-day. A committee of strikers waited on them last night. The operators and miners throughout the fields are holding together.

CORNER IN GOLD.

The Morgan-Rothschild Syndicate is At Work.

Chicago, May 9.—A special to the Post from Washington says: The discovery that there is an actual basis for the report that the Morgan-Rothschild bond syndicate is conspiring to corner the gold market has been regarded as a foolish canard. It is a fact, however, that brokers representing this syndicate have been paying a premium for the refined gold output of the private refineries through the West during the last two months, and that they are accumulating the gold at the rate of $2,500,000 to $3,000,000 per month, which represents fully two-thirds of the entire gold output of the United States. In order to divert the yellow stream from its usual channels leading into the United States mints, the private purchasers have been obliged to pay a premium of 1-16 to 1-2 cent. The premium paid for most of the gold was 1-8 cent, but so anxious have been the buyers to increase their lines and get everything in sight that they have marked up their quotations during the last few days. At the present time they are getting practically the entire output of the United States, excepting at the extreme western coast.

Many long-headed men in Washington and Wall street who are familiar with the methods of the parties composing the syndicate have jumped to the conclusion that the foundation is being laid for another bond deal before congress meets again. The last bond deal of $62,000,000 has been pretty well closed out, over $51,000,000 in gold having been paid out of the $64,000,000, and it is generally believed that the entire deal will be cleaned up before the first day of August.

Under the terms of the contract with the treasury department the Morgan-Rothschild syndicate has an option on any local bonds that may be issued by the government prior to October next. If from any natural causes or through chicanery and manipulation the administration is obliged to issue another batch of bonds to maintain the gold reserve the sale must be made to the syndicate that took the last issue. There is no escape from such action. It was nominated specially in the contract signed by direction of the president.

The clause in which the syndicate agrees to maintain the treasury reserve leaves the syndicate to be the judge as to what it can do in the premises or to what methods it shall adopt.

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If in the carrying out of that moral obligation the syndicate shall decide that the government must issue another $100,000,000 or $50,000,000 in bonds the administration will have nothing to do but comply with the terms. If the president does not want to issue any more bonds at the dictation of the syndicate the reserve can be practically wiped out in ten days, and then if he should decide in self-protection to put out more bonds, he must sell them to the Morgan-Rothschild people and nobody else.

BLIXT IN PRISON.

He Has Commenced to Work Out His Life Sentence.

Minneapolis, May 9.—Claus A. Blixt, the murderer of Catherine Ging, had quite an eventful trip to Stillwater. The train at White Bear was met by a hundred or more citizens, who surrounded the train, calling for Blixt, while others marched through the coaches in search for him. They evidently had no intention of lynching Blixt, but their actions made it quite uncomfortable for the prisoner and his attendants. Blixt quietly remained in his seat and in this way escaped general observation. At Stillwater the train was met by some 500 people, but there was no demonstration.

Blixt, on arriving at the prison, was given a clean shave and was assigned to cell No. 202. His registered number is 4,171. The shaving made quite a change in his personal appearance. He bore up well until he was informed he could not see his wife again, and when denied this request he broke down and sobbed. He was to-day assigned to work in the shoe shop.

As a matter of useful information it may be stated that whenever a cooking receipt calls for a baking powder the "Royal" should be used. The receipt will be found to work better and surer, and the bread, biscuit, rolls, cakes, dumplings, crusts, puddings, crullers or whatever made, will be sweeter, lighter, finer-flavored, more dainty, palatable and wholesome.

Benedict Arraigned.

Pierre, S. D., May 9.—H. M. Benedict arrived this morning, accompanied by a Pinkerton agent. The preliminary hearing was called at 11 today and adjourned until to-morrow on account of the absence of Attorney General Crawford. Benedict, on the advice of his attorney, refuses to make any statement before examination.

New Man at the Helm.

Evansville, Minn., May 9. — Col. George H. Sheire of St. Paul has purchased the Evansville Enterprise, and will take charge of the paper next week. Mr. Sheire has had considerable experience in the newspaper business and will no doubt succeed in his new venture.

The authorities of Canada have been making an elaborate study of the baking powders sold there. The official analyst of Ontario says as the result of his investigation that he "finds the Royal Baking Powder far superior to the others," and goes so far as to recommend its use in preference to any other.

Deputies Dissolve.

Rome, May 9.—King Humbert has signed a decree dissolving the chamber of deputies and fixing May 26 as the date for the election of deputies. The second ballots will be taken on June 2. The new chamber will assemble Aug. 2.

Killed at New Ulm.

New Ulm, Minn., May 9.—Christian Hacker, a retired farmer, seventy-two years of age, living here, was run over by a Northwestern switch engine this morning and killed.

Secretary Hart Compiling Information About Them.

St. Paul, Special.—Secretary Hart, of the state board of corrections and charities, who is also secretary of the national board of corrections and charities, has a force of clerks busy at the capitol compiling information, statistical and otherwise, to be submitted at the meeting of the national board in New Haven, Conn., May 24 to 30, inclusive.

The Minnesota board will be represented by Secretary Hart and E. S. Durant, delegates, and Dr. S. G. Smith and J. D. Ludden of St. Paul, Rev. J. A. Stemen of Minneapolis, Supt. Merrill, of the state school at Owatonna, and W. E. Lee, superintendent of the state reformatory at St. Cloud, have signified their intention of attending the meeting.

Drainage Canal Accident.

Chicago, Special.—An acident on the drainage canal at Mount Forrest this morning killed one man and seriously injured three others, one of whom will die. The dead man is Elmer Tongen, a laborer, 30 years of age, who was instantly killed. The injured are Michael Scanlan, right arm badly crushed, necessitating amputation and injured internally; Charles Miller, and Jacob Duboine.

Murphy Re-Elected.

Chicago, Special.—Dr. J. B. Murphy of Chicago was re-elected president of the National Association of Railway surgeons at its session to-day. The contest for the presidency was a hot one, several candidates being warmly supported.

Wilde Admitted to Bail.

London, Special.—Upon application of counsel for Oscar Wilde, the judge to-day decided to admit the prisoner to bail. The amount will be fixed to-morrow.

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WEAPONS INDIANS FEAR.

They Don't Like to Face Telescopic Sights and Heavy Bullets.

"Indians sometimes face light firearms with great courage, but they fight shy of the attentions of any weapon that sends a large projectile," said Col. F. A. Blake, who has had wide experience on the western plains. "The rush and scream of the heavy bullet frightens them, and they prefer to keep away from their range. To that not unreasonable prejudice is due the fact that the buffalo hunters of the early '70s, who in following their business were constantly exposed to the attacks of hostile Indians, were molested comparatively little by them. The long, heavy rifle, with its telescopic sights, and the knowledge of the deadly certainty of the buffalo hunter's aim, almost invariably served to make the red man keep his distance, and set him temporarily free from the notion of scalp hunting. One buffalo hunter by the name of Murdock, that I knew, was creeping upon a herd on the Staked Plain when he spied a band of Comanches riding toward him. He instantly leveled his gun upon them as a warning that they should not approach too near. Checking his warriors, the chief of the band pointed with his hand to a buffalo in the distant herd, then mentioned in the Indian language that the hunter should shoot it. Murdock fired as the chief indicated, and the buffalo fell. The Indians gave a loud 'How' of approval, waved their hands, turned their ponies and swept on past the hunter, leaving him to pursue his shooting of the buffalo unmolested."

Repose of Manner.

A foreign nobleman for whose opinion on etiquette and the higher amenities of fashionable life the modish folk of New York feel a profound respect, has been heard to remark that, though fascinating in many ways, our pretty American women which marks the caste to which all rich pretty and smart women strive to belong, the thoroughly aristocratic.

"American women," says the eminent censor of high breeding, "gesticulate too much, they laugh too much, are too restless when seated, too uneasy when standing, and altogether, when animated, are calculated to throw a sensitive person into a hard attack of sympathetic fidgets." So much of this is true, and so deep an impression has the frank criticism made on the women of New York at least, that few of them one meets but are vigorously studying what the nobleman calls "repose."

"To seem at rest," says one of the best exponents of this new doctrine of social conduct, "seat yourself carefully and at ease. Smile a good deal if you wish and are amused; but laugh rarely, and then in a modulated tone. Try to move your head about with graceful poising, but for the most part let your hands lie easily in your lap, and try to make it a rule to do everything slowly. American women are nervous instead of graceful, jerk from one thing to another, and so mar the good effects of good gowns and fair faces." Under this imported regulation one finds hostesses pouring tea with a deliberation that is positively restful to a weary soul; dancing no longer is a fast and furious rush of feet; and the last nights at the opera the pretty women in their boxes did not appear to be conversing so much in a wild sign language with gymnastic arm and head movements as in the low, sweet voices with which nature has so kindly blessed the majority.—Society Fads," in Demorest's Magazine.



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SAVED BY A SQUAW.

The Experience of Pete Oberlin, a Frontier Good Samaritan.

It was so hot that the blue-gum leaves fairly sizzled. So hot that, as Pete Oberlin looked across the road from his shanty the outlines of the Oasis Saloon, and those of the combined post-office and grocery, seemed to waver and dance in the furnace current rising to the glaring, brazen sky. Hot as it was outdoors, it was still more like an oven in Pete's little one-room hut, for the fire was blazing, and Pete, coatless and vestless, was overseeing a frying pan of bacon and a mess of boiling potatoes.

The appetizing odor floated out of the doorway and spread over the neighborhood. It was distinctly noticeable as far off as the row of lopped eucalypti beyond the saloon. At the foot of one of these trees lay what at first sight semed only a bundle of rags; but a closer inspection revealed a shock of black hair and glimpses of a brown parchment skin that indicated a human being. Gradually, as the welcome aroma penetrated the creature's befogged brain the heap of rags stirred and tossed, and finally uplifting bodily, resolved itself into a very dirty and torn blanket, surmounted by a hideous, blear-eyed countenance. The old hag—for it was a woman—sniffed at the wandering fragrance, trying to catch its direction and then staggered unsteadily across the road to Pete's cabin.

"Hello there, Wawaga! Gettin' over yer spree?" greeted that gentleman, easily.

"Umph! No drunk! Injun hungry!" remarked the visitor.

Pete laughed good-naturedly, replied; "You wait; I'll give you a bite pretty quick now."

The old woman squatted on her heels by the stove and greedily eyed the preparations for the feast, while Pete kept his own optics steadily on his cooking to forestall any possible burning. The squaw's restless gaze roved around the room, finally pausing at the shelf behind the stove, upon which stood a cheap alarm-clock and a big black bottle; here it remained fixed until Pete looked at her once more, whereupon she announced in her quavering croak:

"Ol' Injun heap thirsty."

Pete laughed again. "Go along out ter ther pump, then," he said.

But Wawaga's eye was still glued to the interesting object before her. Soon Pete himself went out to the pump, pail in hand; immediately the bundle of rags by the wall stretched up a lean arm, with a quick and stealthy motion of a pouncing cat, and, seizing the bottle, poured the fiery contents down through the brown, parchment throat.

Such an unearthly howling and yelling as followed this successful thievery! Pete dropped his pail and came running in, to find his guest doubled up in agony and rolling around on the floor screaching like mad.

'What in thunder's struck her?" he cried; but just then catching sight of the black bottle still clutched in the Indian's skinny claw, his blank look turned to a wide grin. He dropped on the nearest box, slapping his thigh and chuckling: "My eye- ef the old fool ain't drunk that ther quart o' kerosene-" The terror stricken scream ing redoubled, while the man watched the poor wretch's antics in ecstacy. "Guess it'll teach her to quit meddlin'," he muttered gleefully; but as the moments passed he began to realize that the matter was serious, for the creature's contortions grew awful and her anguish was too great for amusement.

Pete's grin faded insensibly; he scratched his head thoughtfully, grumbling: "Don't know as I want the old gal kickin' the bucket right here and now, but what in tarnal creation's a feller goin' ter do fer her? Oh, gosh! I know!" He bolted across the road, sending up a chocking cloud of powdery soil, and burst into the store. "Say, Ike, yer got any mustard?" he demanded; "old Wawaga's done drunk all my coal oil, an' I guess it's goin' to kill her! Don't yer hear that screechin'?" Ike Dempsey, roused from his mid-day nap, rubbed his eyes and stretched himself, then rising deliberately from the cracker-barrel, and thrusting his quid into one cheek, drawled, lazily: "Wal, now, where's the hurt ef the ol'sot do gin us the shake? Oh, doan'e be in er rush naow! I guess ther's a can er mustard raound somewhers." Reaching a long lazy arm under the counter, he clattered among his possessions and brought up a fist full of yellow-brown dust. "This here nuff? Never mind payin'!" In two minutes more Pete Oberlin laid violent hands on the rolling heap of agony in his cabin, and sternly commanded, "Drink this here." She drank it. Then the frontiersman dragged his body outside the shanty, and left her alone with her misery.

After some time Pete returned to his patient, bearing a tin plate with a generous share of his dinner. He presented this with a flourish and grinned sympathetically as the morsels of food disappeared.

When the shadows of the blue-gums stretched long and gaunt to the eastward, and a mellow pink flushed the tops of the grand, distant mountains, a tipsy squalid old squaw, in tattered blanket, trailed slowly up the dusty road through the foothills; and for six months neither Ike Dempsey, nor Pete, nor even Pat Grogan at the saloon, saw any more of Wawaga.

When Pete Oberlin reached up to the shelf behind the stove that night, and, after feeling vainly around in the darkness struck a match and examined the surface, he let forth a volley of oaths that would have shocked the ears of a mule-driver, finishing up wrathfully with: "Wisht I'd let the old thief die and be d——d to her, afore ever she got away with my hand-carved briar-wood pipe."

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Week after week, Pete Oberlin, in his capacity of mail carrier, jogged over the dusty plain, wound in and out through the foot-hills, with a stop here and there at the ranches, and climbed over the ridge to the fort on the reservoir, always the destination of the biggest part of his budget.

After the early rains had carpeted the bare brown hills with green and given a glossier tinge to the mournful barkstripped eucalyptus, he began to hear ugly rumors on his trips from farm-house to farm-house. There had not been an Indian outbreak for twenty years in that section, but some disquieting influence was hard at work on the red skins. Some said the Indian Messiah was coming, others that one of Geronimo's lieutenants had been sowing this excitement among them; be that as it may, there was a watchful anxiety at the fort and a growing feeling of danger in the breasts of the neighboring ranchmen. Every bit of this came, of course, to the ears of the mail-carrier and, in the snug bar-room of the "Oasis," he would regale a little knot of cronies with highly colored tales of the secret dances, the weapons, and war preparations to be seen in wild nooks in the hills, if a white man knew where to look for them. Yet for all these notes of warning no one dreamed of an actual dangerous uprising.

One soft winter's night, when the damp laden rain-wind blew heavily from the south and the low-hung cloud-blanket shut out every wee ray of starlight, dark-mounted figures met in a sheltered hill basin. Ten, twenty, fifty, they gathered; then in single file, with muffled hoofs, they wound away from their prison. Several hours later, as the mischievous band stealthily made its way out on the plain, a stunted figure, in a ragged blanket, shrunk silently into the bushes to let the cavalcade pass, and then emerged once more from her cover and struck into a swinging trot in the rear of the swift-moving riders.

A faint, angry flush of dawn peeped over the sombre mountains as the redskin braves surrounded the few scattered buildings composing Rush Station. A dog barked in the rear of the saloon, and, in response, a sharp report sent a shudder through the chill morning air; with a howl of anguish, the poor beast rolled over in the dust. At the crack of the pistol the half-dozen men in the shanties, came tumbling from different doorways. Not one was more than half-dressed, but each one had snatched up his rifle. What odds are six men against fifty? As the hastily wakened settlers stumbled out from their cabins, a leaden hail rattled around them; two of their number fell, struck off at once by the raiders. "Injuns, by the tarnal heavens!" cried Ike Dempsey, and the four remaining defenders now very thoroughly aroused, drew quickly back into the store and blazed away from this cover at their murderous assailants. They had ammunition in plenty and spare guns. Ike's wife put her two little sobbing children into a big box in the center of the building, as the point that was furthest from danger, and herself filled the hot, smoking rifles. The fusillade was thick and fast, and bullets flew in through the openings. Pat Grogan's right arm was shattered, but he rested his gun on the window and fired vindictively. Poor Smith was shot through the lungs and fell in a dying condition; Mrs. Dempsey took his place handling her rifle deftly. Time and again some sharp howl of anguish told of a well-directed shot at the half-concealed sinister foeman.

Morning was advancing; perhaps by this time the flight from the reservation was discovered and soldiers were coming to help them—if only they could keep the red devils at bay a while longer. Vain hope! Black Wing, chief of the raiders had also thought of the soldiers; he concluded it was time to make short work of these sharp-sighted marks men who were picking off his companions. There came a sudden fearful yelling a swift rush and retreat of moccasined feet, then the pungent smell of smoke, and the ominous crackling of fire licking up the dry boards. The heat became intolerable—to remain was sure death from the destroying element.

The shot-riddled portal was flung wide, and the two little lads in the middle, the forlorn hope sought a new refuge, their guns speaking death in the passage. Ike Dempsey fell in his own doorway, shot through the brain. Pat Grogan fell in the roadway, and, at the same moment, the brave who had shot him reeled and toppled down from his saddle. With a horrible sense of sickness. Pete saw a savage horseman bury his tomahawk in the woman's head, and then snatch up one of the children and dash his skull on the doorstone. The other little fellow slipped from the hand that grasped at him, and stumbled over the cabin threshold, barely escaping a bullet; a sharp whistle cut the air, Pete felt a stinging pain in his shoulder, and fell to the groud unconscious.

With an exultant shout at the destruction of this last enemy, the savage swarmed from their places of attack and hastily entered the buildings, stowing away whatever was por table and making sad havoc of Grogan's stock of liquors; but they were not yet far enough from the reservation to allow themselves a long stop. The store was burning fiercely; to force his unruly following to hurry, Black Wing, fired the saloon with his own hand, the wooden frame blazing like tinder. One by one the sheds and shacks were ignited; three or four wretches, with fresh, gory scalps dangling at their belts, rushed over to apply the torch to the only remaining building, Pete Oberlin's shanty. A young brave stumbled over the inanimate form in the pathway, and with a whoop of delight waved his blade over the thick black locks. Just as he stooped to his victim, an add, long-drawn cry arrested his arm in its motion. A wild and dust-covered figure sprang into the blood-crazed circle, pouring out a torrent of gutteral abuse and lamentation that somehow commanded attention.

The old woman—for it was Wawaga—bent above the prostrate man, waving off the armed braves, and felt felt for the faintest of heart-beats; then raising herself to her full height, shaking back her snaky hair, and with a rude, powerful majesty, she commanded in her own tongue:

"Go, while yet you have time! Before the morning has ended, the soldiers will be on you. This man still lives. He is mine; do not touch him; you have the scalps of the others."

Wawaga was one of the mothers of the tribe, and her words had weight with the warriors. Black Wing mount ed his pony and all of his raiders did likewise. In the light of the gray, cloudy morning, a wild procession scurried over the plains and away once more to the mountains, where they could find secret hiding and for months elude their pursuers, while they kept the whole country in terror with their thieving burning and killing.

When Pete Oberlin, lying in his own bunk, opened his eyes on the dim scene lighted by the flickering fire, he thought he had gone through a horrible dream. Kicking off the covers, he sat up with a vigorous jerk; but the sharp pain in his shoulder made him grind his teeth in agony. At the same moment he became aware of a dark figure crouched in one corner holding a bundle of white. His sudden motion and muttered exclamation stirred the quiet watcher; stumbling to her feet, she bore her burden to the pallet and deposited it beside him. "Him live, lil boy," she announced gravely. Pete sank back beside the sleeping child, with a choking sensation, half thankfulness for their escape and half-horror at the suddenly conjured picture of the boy's murdered mother and brother. He remembered how he was wounded. How had they two escaped scalping? How came Wawaga there? Were the redskins still at the station? If so, he must use greatest caution. Perhaps they had kept him for torture. The woman anticipated his queries. "Injuns gone! You go now, 'fore come back!" Pete started again upright, maintaining his position in spite of the shooting pain and dreadful dizziness.

"Which way shall I go, and how?" he asked, eagerly. "I must take little Jim! Did them raskils git all ther hosses?"

"White man keep still! Wawaga get pony!" and the old woman drew the tattered blanket around her and slipped noiselessly from the room, leaving Pete to his own busy thoughts. She was gone but a few seconds, before she glided in again, muttering: "Him ready! You go fort, no find Injuns!"

Pete felt sick and faint; he wondered how he could keep himself and the drowsy child on the animal's back over the many miles of rough road that lay between them and safety; it was impossible to remain in their defenseless position, so he must make the effort. He could not imagine how the squaw had dismissed his assailants, and he expected, their return with darkness to finish their programme of vengeance.

Wawaga herself carried out the boy. "No touch, arm hurt," she said, motioning away the wounded man. Very gently she lifted the tiny figure, stilling the fretful wail and coaxing him to wake up and ride on the pony. She led the way and Pete followed; as he stepped out into the dusk, his heart swelled at the utter desolation, only the scorched row of gum trees marked the site of Rush Station beside his forlorn little cabin.

With a good deal of wrenching and pain, Pete clambered into the saddle, the squaw lifted the boy before him, the man gathered the bridle into his useful hand, encircling the child with the same arm. Before he put spurs to his horse and set out on his perilous journey, he leaned down toward thward the stunted and squalid hag at the horse's head, saying hoarsely "You're a good un, Wawaga! I'll do as much fer you if ever I git ther chance."

"Ugh!" granted the old woman. "Squaw no good! Heap good white man,no let ol' Injun die! All even now. Here—ol' squaw take um—no good, b'long white man. She thrust a black something into his hand, and, turning stolidly around, re-entered the desolate cabin.

Peter Oberlin buried his spurs in his animal's flank, and the beast sprang forward past the heaps of smoldering cinders and the blasted row of gum-tres and headed straight for the mountains. In his unwounded hand, with the bridle, Pete held his long-lost briar-wood pipe.—Gertrude B. Millard, in the Argonaut.

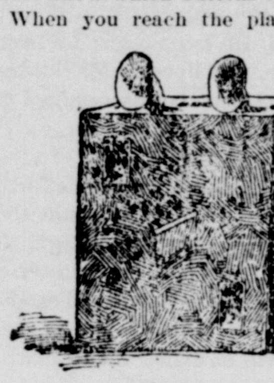
EDISON'S WONDER.

A CHAT WITH THE INVENTOR ON THE KINETOGRAPH.

A Combination of Phonograph and Kinetoscope—The Difficulties of Attaining Perfection in the Most Marvelous of Inventions.

A visit to Thomas A. Edison is suggestive of a pilgrimage to the haunts of some mediaeval wizard. The Walpurgisnacht in Faust and the summit of the Brocken seem tame in comparison. The great inventor has established himself in a dell hidden among vagrant mountains in New Jersey wilds. The neighborhood has no inhabitants with the exception of the 200-odd men whom the wizard employs in his incantations. The place is an old deserted mine, once known as Ogden, but the rockabye railroad with wheezy, catarrhal engines that meander that way when the wind is not too strong, has given it the name of Edison. There are buildings all over Edison, large buildings that walk about the premises if you press a button. In fact, they rarely do anything at Edison without pressing a button. But one must know which buttons to press.

When you reach the place no one



The Kinetograph.

pays much attention to you. That is one of its dangerous fascinations.

"If you stay there another minute," said an unclean, nondescript object, very calmly, "you will be broken into small pieces and carried underground."

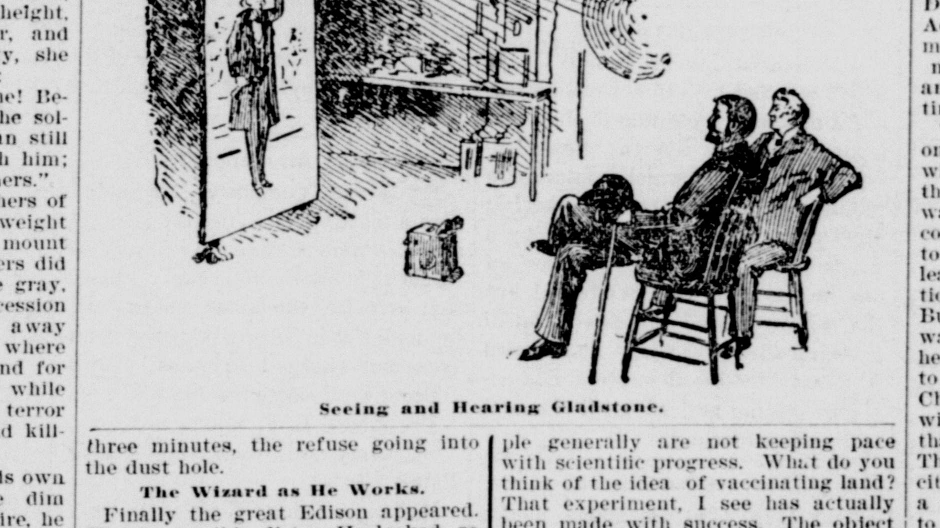
"But can I see Mr. Edison?"

"I don't know. The old man's around somewhere. Go to that red building."

Easier said than done, for the big, red building begins to move timidly away the moment you get near it, stops when you stop, advances when you advance, and is altogether a will of the wisp of architecture.

Finally it hove to and was boarded. It is an office and they pressed a button, found out Mr. Edison's exact location, said he would be along presently, and then began to break up mountains.

Breaking up mountains is a very simple process. It is begun, of course, by pressing a button. A huge bowlder is detached from the solid rock, carried on a movable hod as large as a barn, dropped upon a pair of huge iron wheels and shivered into cobblestones. The cobbles, whirled aloft in trays or troughs, come down dust, and the grains of iron they contain are picked out magnetically. A three-ton bowlder is splintered into fine iron in



Seeing and Hearing Gladstone.

three minutes, the refuse going into the dust hole.

The Wizard as He Works.

Finally the great Edison appeared. He was terribly dirty. He looked, so far as attire is concerned, like a navvy. He was all grime and dust. But his face was that of a bright, blue-eyed youth, beautifully blue eyed and smiling. Not until he took his vile, ash-covered hat off did the gray hair reveal that he is no longer young in years. His face is almost free from wrinkles.

"We are progressing, progressing," he said, when informed that his retreat had been invaded for the purposes of getting information concerning the latest and the greatest of his inventions, the one which is being eagerly awaited and which very few have had a chance to see. That is the combination of the phonograph with the kinetoscope, the contrivance to which Mr. Edison applied the term kinetograph on this occasion.

"The object of this machine," he said, "is to afford the spectator two inventions in one. That is, two senses are simultaneously appealed to. Suppose, we will say, an opera is to be reproduced. The phonograph already repeats the sound. The kinetoscope affords a view of the movements. Now, however, we wish to combine the two and combine them far more effectively than ever their distinct elements have heretofore been rendered by separate instruments.

"Thus, if one wished to hear and see the concert or the opera, it would only be necessary to sit down at home, look upon a screen and see the performance, reproduced exactly in every movement and at the same time the voices of the players and singers, the music of the orchestra, the various sounds that accompany a performance of this sort, will be reproduced exactly. The end attained is a perfect illusion. One really hears and sees the play, because the conditions precedent to the suitable impressions upon the eye and ear are obtained."

Mr. Edison's hearing has improved very much in the past year, owing, perhaps, to his perfect physical condition. He spoke well and distinctly, and is never, apparently, as much impressed with the wonders he performs as are his workmen.

He was asked if ordinary sights and scenes, the Pope in the Vatican, or a speech at a mass meeting, could be as effectively handled.

"Far more easily," he replied, "that is the least difficult part of the problem. Even now, the spectator could be treated to a perfect reproduction of Gladstone making a speech to the house of commons. This would be shown of life size and, so far as the spectator is concerned, would be the real scene. For every word, every gesture of the grand old man, the gestures of each spectator and the sounds made on the occasion would be reproduced exactly. And, of course 200 years hence the same scene could be thrown up at will—a new way of recording history, you see."

"Is not the mechanism very complicated?"

"Not more so than that of the kinetoscope and the phonograph, and the difficulty of photographic apparatus in minute fractions of a second. Certain ashes of motion, are caught in ten forty-ninths of a second. But in preserving them and in their reproduction, ont or two obstacles are met with. The negative itself is very small not much larger than your thumb nail. In reproducing these postures and movements great care is necessary in maintaining proportions.

Niceties of Adjustment.

To throw upon a screen a series of movements, each taking up an interval of time not longer, perhaps than a fifth part of ten forty-ninths of a second, and at the same time to insure fidelity is the problem. As it is, there are occasional distortions. If a movement in the reproduction be not, so to speak, ran out consecutively, that is, if a change of posture be not accurately photographed, although the movement occupied but the two hundredth part of a second, the effect will be distorted. Hence the extreme nicety required in the mechanism."

"Perhaps to-morrow," said Mr. Edison, "we may perfect the machinery. Perhaps we shall have to work another year upon it. In truth, it is a very simple matter. It consists merely in adjusting thoroughly understood principles to a new contrivance made up of old contrivances. Were it not that we have such infinitely small sections of time to deal with there would be no difficulty at all. But, as I have told you, we know how to overcome the difficulty. We simply lack practice."

"Does it make any difference of what nature the representation to be produced is?"

"At present yes. In time, however, it will not. The reproduction of such sights and sounds as those enacted in the opening of congress would be very easy. The spectator could sit down in his drawing room or office and have the whole scene enacted in front of him. Nor would any special apartment or any particular preparation be necessary. But, with a grand opera, it would be more difficult. One must exercise great care in securing the ensemble. There are myriads of details connected with the tones, the gestures, the dress, the colors, the light, and such like. It is proposed to give these with scrupulous fidelity. Hence the temporary cessation of progress. Although we could give all these impressions with comparative exactness, it is intended to be perfectly faithful to the original. It never does to perpetrate a half performance. It is disappointing and apt to shake confidence in an invention. For myself, I have no doubt whatever of the outcome. Before many years we will have grand opera in every little village at 10c a head—and the very highest grand opera. You will hear and see Patti in your own parlor. She will be heard a hundred years after her death, and seen and will move and thrill her auditors in 3010. The president's inauguration can be treated in the same way. Pope Leo and his cardinals may be seen and heard for unnumbered centuries to come."

Its Value in History.

Mr. Edison's blue eyes lighted up with enthusiasm.

"What a way to write history," he repeated, echoing the words of his questioner. "Well, I had never thought of that, particularly, and yet it is a way to write it, isn't it? How much more effectively one could convey to future generations an idea of the president than words and writing could. In fact, written records would cease to have their historical importance."

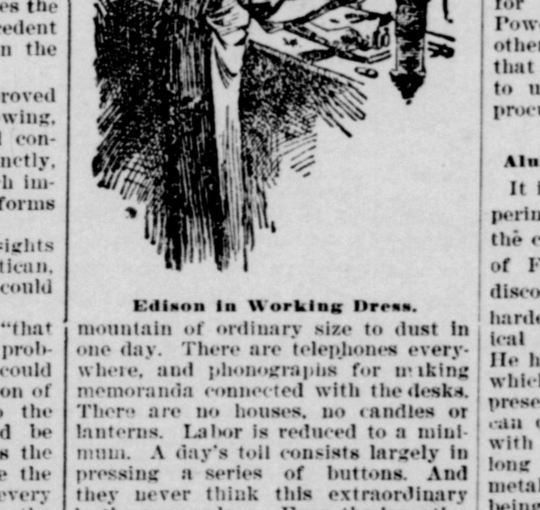
Another use for the invention namely, the sentimental one, had not occurred to Mr. Edison either. Yet the machine ought to be welcomed by lovers—it insures the perpetual presence of the adored one. Has not the poet said:

Could I but hear her voice,
Could I but see her face,
Why do the gods deny the gifts poor
mortals long for most?

But Mr. Edison was not yet born in Camoen's time.

"Yet," went on the wizard, "these things are not as wonderful as they seem. It appears to me that the people generally are not keeping pace with scientific progress. What do you think of the idea of vaccinating land? That experiment, I see has actually been made with success. The object of this process is to improve the quality of the soil. The law of diminishing returns, so long an important factor in political economy, is thus overcome. To explain the method employed so as to be comprehensible to the popular mind is not easy. You see, certain roots of plants which flourish in inferior soils have been ascertained to nourish a parasite. The parasites afford the plant through their organic functions strength and vitality. In return the parasites are fed and sustained by certain properties of the root. One supports the other, and the two together have a decided effect upon the soil in which they grow. Now, this process of nature has been successfully applied by science. What we may term an agricultural miss is obtained, and the impoverished soil into which it is introduced is almost at once bettered. The process is permanently fertilizing, and can not fail to effect, in time, a revolution in farming."

Here a button was pressed somewhere in the remote regions, and Mr. Edison rastened away. The "Plant," as he calls the wierd agglomeration at Edison, is being enlarged from day to day. In about six weeks it will be completed, and to-day has a very strange look. It contains the only stone-breaker in the world of its extraordinary kind. It will reduce a



Edison in Working Dress.

mountain of ordinary size to dust in one day. There are telephones everywhere, and phonographs for making memoranda connected with the desks. There are no houses, no candles or lanterns. Labor is reduced to a minimum. A day's toil consists largely in pressing a series of buttons. And they never think this extraordinary in the queer place. Even the 'prentice boys are very scientific. They release the giant forces of nature and hold them in check again. Edison is the Nimrod of this electrical game reserve, with his pack running and gambolling all about him.

A Saddening Sight.

First Tramp—Lookee here, Jim. Here's a man been killed on the railroad; all cut to bits.

Second Tramp (sadly)—Too bad! too bad! Thim clothes would 'a' just about fit me, and they's all spoiled.—New York Weekly.

Cold Bluff, Anyhow.

She—What does it mean when a man threatens to commit suicide because you refuse him?

The Widower—It means he prefers the refrigerator to the frying-pan.—Life.

Boone and the Indians.

Boone frequently took to the field on set expeditions against the savages. Once when he and a party of other men were making salt at a lick, they were surprised and carried off by the Indians. The old hunter was a prisoner with them for some months, but finally made his escape and came home through the trackless woods as straight as the wild pigeon flies. He was ever on the watch to ward off the Indian inroads, and to rescue the prisoners.

Once his own daughter and two other girls who were with her were carried off by a band of Indians. Boone collected some friends and followed them steadily for two days and a night; then they came to where the Indians had killed a buffalo calf, and were camped. Firing from a little distance, they shot two Indians, and, rushing in, rescued the girls.

On another occasion when Boone had gone to visit a salt-lick with his brother, the Indians ambushed them and shot the latter. Boone himself escaped, but the Indians followed him for three miles by the aid of a tracking dog, until Boone turned, shot the dog, and then eluded the pursuers. In company with Simon Kenton and many of the noted hunters and wilderness warriors, he once and again took part in perilous expeditions into the Indian country. Twice bands of Indians accompanied by French, Tory, and British partisans from Detroit, bearing the flag of Great Britain, attacked Boonesborough. In each case Boone and his fellow-settlers beat them off with loss.

At the fatal battle of the Blue Licks, in which two hundred of the best riflemen of Kentucky were beaten with terrible slaughter by a great force of Indians from the lakes, Boone commanded the left wing. Leading his men, rifle in hand, he pushed back and overthrew the force against him; but meanwhile the Indians destroyed the right wing and center, and got in the rear, so that there was nothing for Boone's men except to flee with all speed.—Theodore Roosevelt in May St. Nicholas.

To manufacturers like the Royal Baking Powder Company, the public is under a large debt of gratitude for the increased purity of articles of food sold at the present day. The reports of the official Government investigations of baking powders show the Royal to be stronger and purer than any other. It is quite evident that neither ingenuity, science nor expense can in any way improve upon the Royal Baking Powder as now before the public.

JAPANESE AS HUSTLERS.

They Have Invaded Chicago Trade and Propose to Stay.

Japanese enterprise has found in Chicago a promising field for a wholesale business in fat checked gods with unpronounceable names and expressions of acute idiocy, and other articles of vertu from the land of the mikado. One firm will soon be prepared to furnish to the trade at the usual discounts a choice line of lares and penates in porcelain, wood, ivory and other materials, embroidered silks ornamental articles of furniture in carved teakwood, dainty porcelains decorated in designs that only the brain of a Japanese artist could conceive, bronzes and antiquities. The firm has been doing a profitable business on State street since the first of last December. They learned the ways of the Caucasian merchant so rapidly that they have already started an auction for "closing up their retail establishment at a great sacrifice."

This is the only Japanese firm doing business in the city at present. During the fair there was a firm on Adams street and another in a basement on Wabash avenue, but they did not find their ventures profitable, and went out of the business some time ago.

"The Japanese are hustlers," said one of the firm, "and I see no reason why we should not get our share of the trade. We expect to get it anyway. Most of the Japanese who have come to America so far have come to study. We have been too busy learning the ways of western civilization to pay much attention to trade. But now that Japan has earned her way in the list of first-class powers her people can devote more attention to business. The Japanese colony in Chicago is small. Six are connected with this firm and there are not more than eighteen others in the city. There is not a Japanese woman in the city at present. There were some here a year ago, but they have returned to Japan. The Japanese are not clannish; they do not flock together in any particular section, but are scattered all over the city. Most of them live on the south side."

The Japanese unlike the Chinese, cling to none of the customs of their native land. They wear European clothes of good material. All speak English, and they board at American hotels and eat plain American hotel fare.

Solid Yet Elastic.

In its present elaborate form the hoof of a horse is the most perfect instrument of support which has been devised in the animal kingdom to uphold a large and swiftly moving animal in its passage over the ground. The original toe-nail, and the neighboring soft parts connected with it, have been modified into a structure which in an ordinary manner combines solidity with elasticity, so that it may strike violent blows upon the hard surface of the earth without harm. The result is that the horse can carry a greater weight at a swifter speed than any other animal approaching it in size.—Prof. N. S. Shaler in Scribner's.

Royal Baking Powder is the purest and highest in strength of any of the baking powders, and hence makes more, finer and better food. These are the official facts as set forth by the U. S. Government and the various State Chemists' reports. Of course great efforts will be made by those interested in the sale of the cheaper made, alum powders, to continue their sale where consumers have made up their minds to have the Royal and call for it at their grocers. The Royal Powder is so much superior to all the other preparations for quick raising, that it will amply repay housekeepers to use the necessary persistency to procure it in spite of all objections.

Aluminum Successfully Hardened.

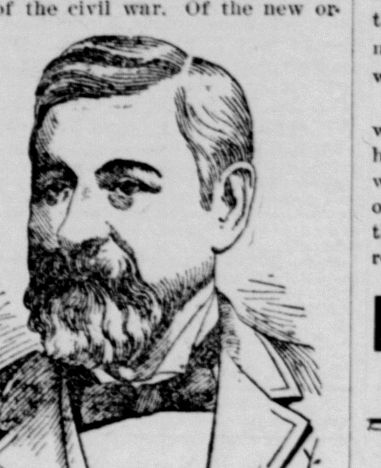
It is stated that the successful tempering of aluminum, so as to give it the consistency of iron, is a discovery of F. Allard of Quebec, whose rediscovery of the lost Egyptian art of hardening copper startled the mechanical world three or four years ago. He has made and hardened a cannon, which has just been tested in the presence of Colonel Spence, the American consul, and a number of others, with success. This cannon is 28 inches long and 5 inches in diameter, the metal of the gun outside of the bore being only one-quarter of an inch thick. A charge consisting of a pound of powder was fired out of this without any appreciable effect upon it. A new and scientific trial of the cannon has been ordered by the Canadian military authorities and the United States consul. Allard has been asked to manufacture as soon as possible a cannon 12 feet long for direct shipment to Washington.

"Dr. Trousseau, surgeon to the Quinze-Vingts Eye hospital," says the Paris correspondent of the Lancet, "gives the preference for innocuity to incandescent electric light, and assigns second place to petroleum lamps, which may advantageously be employed for ordinary purposes. He condemns in toto the light yielded by oil, and more particularly that given by candles. The gas jet is the more hurtful to the eye, its only recommendation being its convenience."

CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

They Contemplate Organizing a New Association.

When the United States Confederate Veterans meet at Houston, Texas, in May, one of the important matters to be consummated will be the organization of a national association, in which it is desired to enroll as many as possible of the Confederate veterans of the civil war. Of the new or-



Gen. S. D. Lee.

ganization it is thought that Stephen D. Lee will be president. He is a resident of Mississippi and is commander of one of the two departments of the United Confederate Veterans. At the meeting in Houston will be determined the location and general plans of the institution, the money for which will be raised by subscription.

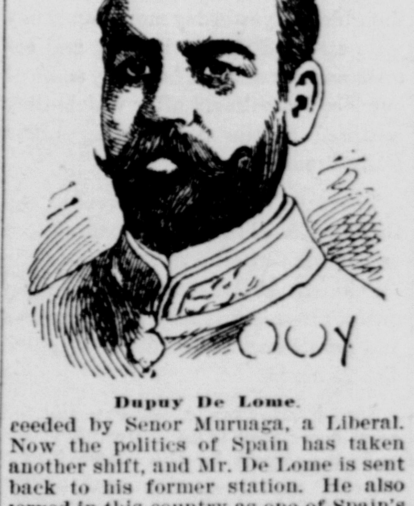
Popular Electrical Theories.

A history of popular misconceptions on electrical subjects would make entertaining reading. The superintendent of a California electric light station tells that among a thousand puzzling inquiries that were addressed to him on the night that the electric light was started in his city was the poser: "Where its the hole in the wire that the juice comes through?" An electrical supply firm in Nova Scotia has lately received the following letter from a Cape Breton correspondent: "Will you kindly let me know all the particulars about the incandescent lamps which you have advertised in the Recorder? That is, what is used in them—is it kerosene oil, etc., or, if not, what is it? And can the material be easily obtained? I am desirous of getting one or more of them, and would like to know all about them." A well-known London weekly paper gravely publishes among its bits of electrical information the announcement that "A German electrician recently hived a swarm of bees by the use of electricity. He passed a powerful current through the bough of the tree on which they clustered, and the shock caused them to fall stupefied to the ground. Before they had time to recover he had them collected and placed in a new hive." An inventive genius, who hails from Columbus, O., has discovered that "if two dissimilar conductors of electricity which are subject to slight atomic change under the influence of sound are joined together, after the manner of a pair of thermauile bars, and the open ends are insulated by a suitable non-conductor of both sound and electricity, a current is generated when sounds are made in the vicinity of the exposed ends. If two or more such elements are connected together we have an acoustic battery, and by increasing the number of elements it is possible to operate an ordinary call bell by simply clapping the hands in front of the exposed ends of the battery." This sounds impressive. The way in which the inventor proposes to turn his inspired idea to account is to establish an electrical perpetual motion, and among other things to wind clocks by the noise of their own pendulums, and lights shops by the noise of the machinery. A contemporary says: "By this scheme also an auctioneer may yet run an electrical cash system with the sound of his own voice; some janitor by the force of his profanity may store up electricity enough to ring a church bell; policemen in noisy boots could furnish street lights; the mooing cows may furnish power to cut their own fodder, and a barking dog may keep an electric light burning by and by on the lawn."

THE SPANISH MINISTER.

Dupuy de Lome Appointed to Succeed Muruaga.

Especial interest is felt in this country at this time in the change of Spanish Minister to the United States on account of the Alliance affair. Senor de Lome was the Spanish Minister at Washington three years ago, serving only six months, and being succeeded by Muruaga. He is a conservative, which, in part, led to his being suc-



Dupuy De Lome.

ceeded by Senor Muruaga, a Liberal. Now the politics of Spain has taken another shift, and Mr. De Lome is sent back to his former station. He also served in this country as one of Spain's World's Fair Commissioners, the post being particularly important at a time when one of Spain's royal family, Princess Eulalie, visited the World's Fair.

The Value of Sight.

A sunbeam is a small thing, yet it has a power to fade the carpets and curtains, to rot the blinds, and for this reason some folks carefully exclude the sunshine. What is the result? The family is always ailing, the young girls have a waxen, white skin and a weary pinched expression, of countenance. Their appetites fail, they fall into such a bad state of health that the doctor is called in. In olden days he would have shaken his head, perhaps, and friends would have whispered that dreaded word "decline!" Nowadays he notes the pale gums and waxen skin and says "anaemia;" prescribes iron and milk, fresh air, and exercise and often a change. If he knows nothing about the darkened rooms, he will be puzzled as to why no permanent improvement manifests itself, and, possibly, the patient will seek other advice.—Popular Medical Monthly.

To Manufacture Glass Pipe.

A new method of manufacturing glass pipe has been discovered which promises to revolutionize that industry. It has hitherto been found impossible to mold large glass tubes of any great length because the glass would cool while running into the mold,and the structure of the tube was not homogeneous. The new method consists of using a mold with a movable piston. The piston is just enough smaller than the outer shell of the mold to allow for the thickness of the tube to be made. The piston is placed at the bottom of the mold and as the molten glass is poured in the piston is forced upward by hydraulic pressure. Pipes are made by this process in sections six feet long and are used for sewers and water pipes.

Her Excuse.

"Why would you not see me yesterday when I called?" he asked, reproachfully.

"It is Lent," said the girl, sweetly, "and I am practising self-denial."—Detroit Free Press.

That Tired Feeling

It is remarkable how many people there are who have That Tired Feeling and seem to think it is of no importance or that nothing need be done for it. They would not be so careless if they realized how really serious the malady is. But they think or say, "It will go off after a while."

We do not mean the legitimate weariness which all experience after a hard day's work, but that all-gone, worn-out feeling which is especially overpowering in the morning, when the body should be refreshed and ready for work. It is often only the forerunner of nervous prostration, with all the horrible suffering that term implies. That Tired Feeling and nervousness are sure indications of an impure and impoverished condition of the blood. The craving of the system for help can only be met by purifying the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one great blood purifier. It expels all impurities, gives vitality and strength, regulates the digestion and makes the weak strong.

"In the spring I felt very much run down—no strength or appetite. I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and my appetite improved and I did not have that tired feeling." H. R. SQUIRES, East Leverett, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Makes Pure Blood.

Little Slaves in England.

"Does slavery survive in England?" asks the London "Christian World," and this is the answer: "After reading Saturday's 'special' number of the 'Schoolmaster' on the subject of 'Halftimers,' we find it difficult to answer in the negative. An inspector writes: "I examined a child who rose at 5:30 worked at a mill, and then walked a couple of miles to examination. Another girl of 11 rose soon after 5 a. m., and walked through the frost and snow nearly two miles to the mill. Work commenced at 6 and continued till 8:30, when there was an interval for breakfast—the child not leaving the mill. At 9 work again till 12:30'—six hours in all—'and then dinner at the mill. At 1:30 the child trudged off to school.' How many British children are liable to this sort of experience? Not less than 170,000! Shame on us!" Such facts are a shame indeed, to any civilized not to say Christian community.

Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away
Is the truthful, startling title of a book about No-To-Bac, the harmless, guaranteed tobacco habit cure that braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminates the nicotine poison, makes weak men gain strength, vigor, and manhood. You run no physical or financial risk, as No-To-Bac is sold by Druggists everywhere, under a guarantee to cure or money refunded. Book free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago.

Electricity in the Kitchen.

Electricity, though it seems to come into house-furnishing slowly, except for lighting, is, evidently, to be the hope and dependence of the coming housekeeper. Some sanguine ones promise in five years small elevators for private houses that will run by a button, and in the kitchen domain the magic electrical spark is to be a veritable fairy godmother. One on duty in a California restaurant is already removing the odor of cooking food. The proprietor introduced an electric exhaust fan with the happiest results. The fan, which is operated by a small motor, draws up the heated air and smells of the kitchen, and drives them up a shaft, whence they escape into the outer air.

A Poisonous Mist.

This fitly describes miasma, a vaporous poison which breeds chills and fever, bilious remittent, dumb ague, ague cake, and in the tropics deadly typhoid forms of fever. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters prevents and cures these complaints. Biliousness, constipation, dyspepsia, nervous and kidney trouble, rheumatism, neuralgia and impaired vitality are also remedied by the great restorative.

Lions Ate the Bear.

From Lemberg our Vienna correspondent learns that a terrible battle has been fought the railway station at Rawaruska. A menagerie was being conveyed by rail, and when the train stopped at the station a great noise was heard. The guards went to wagons containing the wild beasts and found that the wooden partitions which separated three lionesses from three bears and these again from three hyenas broken down and the animals engaged in battle. One bear was missing. The lions had eaten him, skin and all. They had bitten another bear's paw off and a hyena lay dead on the floor. Two lions in a neighboring compartment remained calm. No one dared interfere between the fighting beasts until the owner arrived in a sledge and separated them—not before he had been bitten by a bear, however. He claims damages from the railway administration because the partitions gave away.—London Daily News.

Hegeman's Camphor Ice with Glycerine.
Cures Chapped Hands and Face, Tender or Sore Feet, Chilblains, Piles, &c. C. G. Clark Co., New Haven, Ct.

English As She Is Spoke.

"Who was that member of parliament who said that all men who differed from him were dead wrong, and who refused to give anything to the shipwrecked sailors?"

"A liberal, I believe."—Tit Bits.

A Sure Sign.

On the Japanese Warship—First officer—There's a cruiser reported a little ahead.

Second Officer—Chinese?

First Officer—No, sir. She's headed this way.—Sing Sing Courier.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for Children Teething.

The Wisest Man.

Teacher—Who was the wisest man of ancient history?

Willie Doo—Some people say it was Solomon, but I think it was Noah. He knew enough to come in out of the wet, anyway.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

For Appearance.

Mother—How is it that you get so many bad marks at school?

Little Johnny—Well, the teacher has got to mark somebody or else folks will think she ain't attending to her business.—Tit Bits.

"Hanson's Magic Corn Salve."
Warranted to cure or money refunded. Ask your druggist for it. Price 15 cents.

In South America.

Donna Inez—What is that rumbling noise in the street? It makes me nervous.

Don Manuel—Don't be frightened, dear. It is only a revolution; or, perhaps an earthquake.—Puck.

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Lives in Hopes.

Fashionable Philanthropy—Englishman—Why is it you Hamericans copy the Hinglish?

American—We are in hopes you Englishmen will see how it looks and get disgusted with yourselves.—Atlanta Constitution.

Plenty of Water.

Clerk—That house you let to Mr. and Mrs. Suburb has nothing but a cistern and that is fifty feet from the door. You told them was water in the house.

Agent—So there is. The cellar's half full.—Tit Bits.

A Temperance Town.

He (rapturously)—How beautiful you are! Just to gaze into your eyes intoxicates me.

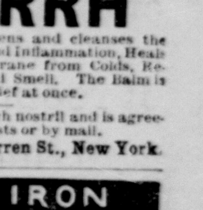
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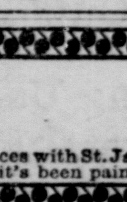
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Repose of Manner.

A foreign nobleman for whose opinion on etiquette and the higher amenities of fashionable life the modish folk of New York feel a profound respect, has been heard to remark that, though fascinating in many ways, our pretty American women which marks the caste to which all rich pretty and smart women strive to belong, the thoroughly aristocratic.

"American women," says the eminent censor of high breeding, "gesticulate too much, they laugh too much, are too restless when seated, too uneasy when standing, and altogether, when animated, are calculated to throw a sensitive person into a hard attack of sympathetic fidgets." So much of this is true, and so deep an impression has the frank criticism made on the women of New York at least, that few of them one meets but are vigorously studying what the nobleman calls "repose."

"To seem at rest," says one of the best exponents of this new doctrine of social conduct, "seat yourself carefully and at ease. Smile a good deal if you wish and are amused; but laugh rarely, and then in a modulated tone. Try to move your head about with graceful poising, but for the most part let your hands lie easily in your lap, and try to make it a rule to do everything slowly. American women are nervous instead of graceful, jerk from one thing to another, and so mar the good effects of good gowns and fair faces." Under this imported regulation one finds hostesses pouring tea with a deliberation that is positively restful to a weary soul; dancing no longer is a fast and furious rush of feet; and the last nights at the opera the pretty women in their boxes did not appear to be conversing so much in a wild sign language with gymnastic arm and head movements as in the low, sweet voices with which nature has so kindly blessed the majority.—Society Fads," in Demorest's Magazine.



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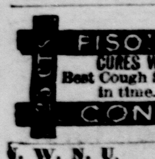
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SAVED BY A SQUAW.

The Experience of Pete Oberlin, a Frontier Good Samaritan.

It was so hot that the blue-gum leaves fairly sizzled. So hot that, as Pete Oberlin looked across the road from his shanty the outlines of the Oasis Saloon, and those of the combined post-office and grocery, seemed to waver and dance in the furnace current rising to the glaring, brazen sky. Hot as it was outdoors, it was still more like an oven in Pete's little one-room hut, for the fire was blazing, and Pete, coatless and vestless, was overseeing a frying pan of bacon and a mess of boiling potatoes.

The appetizing odor floated out of the doorway and spread over the neighborhood. It was distinctly noticeable as far off as the row of lopped eucalypti beyond the saloon. At the foot of one of these trees lay what at first sight semed only a bundle of rags; but a closer inspection revealed a shock of black hair and glimpses of a brown parchment skin that indicated a human being. Gradually, as the welcome aroma penetrated the creature's befogged brain the heap of rags stirred and tossed, and finally uplifting bodily, resolved itself into a very dirty and torn blanket, surmounted by a hideous, blear-eyed countenance. The old hag—for it was a woman—sniffed at the wandering fragrance, trying to catch its direction and then staggered unsteadily across the road to Pete's cabin.

"Hello there, Wawaga! Gettin' over yer spree?" greeted that gentleman, easily.

"Umph! No drunk! Injun hungry!" remarked the visitor.

Pete laughed good-naturedly, replied; "You wait; I'll give you a bite pretty quick now."

The old woman squatted on her heels by the stove and greedily eyed the preparations for the feast, while Pete kept his own optics steadily on his cooking to forestall any possible burning. The squaw's restless gaze roved around the room, finally pausing at the shelf behind the stove, upon which stood a cheap alarm-clock and a big black bottle; here it remained fixed until Pete looked at her once more, whereupon she announced in her quavering croak:

"Ol' Injun heap thirsty."

Pete laughed again. "Go along out ter ther pump, then," he said.

But Wawaga's eye was still glued to the interesting object before her. Soon Pete himself went out to the pump, pail in hand; immediately the bundle of rags by the wall stretched up a lean arm, with a quick and stealthy motion of a pouncing cat, and, seizing the bottle, poured the fiery contents down through the brown, parchment throat.

Such an unearthly howling and yelling as followed this successful thievery! Pete dropped his pail and came running in, to find his guest doubled up in agony and rolling around on the floor screaching like mad.

'What in thunder's struck her?" he cried; but just then catching sight of the black bottle still clutched in the Indian's skinny claw, his blank look turned to a wide grin. He dropped on the nearest box, slapping his thigh and chuckling: "My eye—ef the old fool ain't drunk that ther quart o' kerosene." The terror stricken scream ing redoubled, while the man watched the poor wretch's antics in ecstacy. "Guess it'll teach her to quit meddlin'," he muttered gleefully; but as the moments passed he began to realize that the matter was serious, for the creature's contortions grew awful and her anguish was too great for amusement.

Pete's grin faded insensibly; he scratched his head thoughtfully, grumbling: "Don't know as I want the old gal kickin' the bucket right here and now, but what in tarnal creation's a feller goin' ter do fer her? Oh, gosh! I know!" He bolted across the road, sending up a chocking cloud of powdery soil, and burst into the store. "Say, Ike, yer got any mustard?" he demanded; "old Wawaga's done drunk all my coal oil, an' I guess it's goin' to kill her! Don't yer hear that screechin'?" Ike Dempsey, roused from his mid-day nap, rubbed his eyes and stretched himself, then rising deliberately from the cracker-barrel, and thrusting his quid into one cheek, drawled, lazily: "Wal, now, where's the hurt of the ol'sot do gin us the shake? Oh, doan'e be in er rush naow! I guess ther's a can er mustard raound somewhers." Reaching a long lazy arm under the counter, he clattered among his possessions and brought up a fist full of yellow-brown dust. "This here nuff? Never mind payin'!" In two minutes more Pete Oberlin laid violent hands on the rolling heap of agony in his cabin, and sternly commanded, "Drink this here." She drank it. Then the frontiersman dragged his body outside the shanty, and left her alone with her misery.

After some time Pete returned to his patient, bearing a tin plate with a generous share of his dinner. He presented this with a flourish and grinned sympathetically as the morsels of food disappeared.

When the shadows of the blue-gums stretched long and gaunt to the eastward, and a mellow pink flushed the tops of the grand, distant mountains, a tipsy squalid old squaw, in tattered blanket, trailed slowly up the dusty road through the foothills; and for six months neither Ike Dempsey, nor Pete, nor even Pat Grogan at the saloon, saw any more of Wawaga.

When Pete Oberlin reached up to the shelf behind the stove that night, and, after feeling vainly around in the darkness struck a match and examined the surface, he let forth a volley of oaths that would have shocked the ears of a mule-driver, finishing up wrathfully with: "Wisht I'd let the old thief die and be d——d to her, afore ever she got away with my hand-carved briar-wood pipe."

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Week after week, Pete Oberlin, in his capacity of mail carrier, jogged over the dusty plain, wound in and out through the foot-hills, with a stop here and there at the ranches, and climbed over the ridge to the fort on the reservoir, always the destination of the biggest part of his budget.

After the early rains had carpeted the bare brown hills with green and given a glossier tinge to the mournful barkstripped eucalyptus, he began to hear ugly rumors on his trips from farm-house to farm-house. There had not been an Indian outbreak for twenty years in that section, but some disquieting influence was hard at work on the red skins. Some said the Indian Messiah was coming, others that one of Geronimo's lieutenants had been sowing this excitement among them; be that as it may, there was a watchful anxiety at the fort and a growing feeling of danger in the breasts of the neighboring ranchmen. Every bit of this came, of course, to the ears of the mail-carrier, and, in the snug bar-room of the "Oasis," he would regale a little knot of cronies with highly colored tales of the secret dances, the weapons, and war preparations to be seen in wild nooks in the hills, if a white man knew where to look for them. Yet for all these notes of warning no one dreamed of an actual dangerous uprising.

One soft winter's night, when the damp laden rain-wind blew heavily from the south and the low-hung cloud-blanket shut out every wee ray of starlight, dark-mounted figures met in a sheltered hill basin. Ten, twenty, fifty, they gathered; then in single file, with muffled hoofs, they wound away from their prison. Several hours later, as the mischievous band stealthily made its way out on the plain, a stunted figure, in a ragged blanket, shrunk silently into the bushes to let the cavalcade pass, and then emerged once more from her cover and struck into a swinging trot in the rear of the swift-moving riders.

A faint, angry flush of dawn peeped over the sombre mountains as the redskin braves surrounded the few, scattered buildings composing Rush Station. A dog barked in the rear of the saloon, and, in response, a sharp report sent a shudder through the chill morning air; with a howl of anguish, the poor beast rolled over in the dust. At the crack of the pistol the half-dozen men in the shanties, came tumbling from different doorways. Not one was more than half-dressed, but each one had snatched up his rifle. What odds are six men against fifty? As the hastily wakened settlers stumbled out from their cabins, a leaden hail rattled around them; two of their number fell, struck off at once by the raiders. "Injuns, by the tarnal heavens!" cried Ike Dempsey, and the four remaining defenders now very thoroughly aroused, drew quickly back into the store and blazed away from this cover at their murderous assailants. They had ammunition in plenty and spare guns. Ike's wife put her two little sobbing children into a big box in the center of the building, as the point that was furthest from danger, and herself filled the hot, smoking rifles. The fusilade was thick and fast, and bullets flew in through the openings. Pat Grogan's right arm was shattered, but he rested his gun on the window and fired vindictively. Poor Smith was shot through the lungs and fell in a dying condition; Mrs. Dempsey took his place handling her rifle deftly. Time and again some sharp howl of anguish told of a well-directed shot at the half-concealed sinister foeman.

Morning was advancing; perhaps by this time the flight from the reservation was discovered and soldiers were coming to help them—if only they could keep the red devils at bay a while longer. Vain hope! Black Wing, chief of the raiders had also thought of the soldiers; he concluded it was time to make short work of these sharp-sighted marks men who were picking off his companions. There came a sudden fearful yelling a swift rush and retreat of moccasined feet, then the pungent smell of smoke, and the ominous crackling of fire licking up the dry boards. The heat became intolerable—to remain was sure death from the destroying element.

The shot-riddled portal was flung wide, and the two little lads in the middle, the forlorn hope sought a new refuge, their guns speaking death in the passage. Ike Dempsey fell in his own doorway, shot through the brain. Pat Grogan fell in the roadway, and, at the same moment, the brave who had shot him reeled and toppled down from his saddle. With a horrible sense of sickness, Pete saw a savage horseman bury his tomahawk in the woman's head, and then snatch up one of the children and dash his skull on the doorstone. The other little fellow slipped from the hand that grasped at him, and stumbled over the cabin threshold, barely escaping a bullet; a sharp whistle cut the air, Pete felt a stinging pain in his shoulder, and fell to the groud unconscious.

With an exultant shout at the destruction of this last enemy, the savage swarmed from their places of attack and hastily entered the buildings, stowing away whatever was por table and making sad havoc of Grogan's stock of liquors; but they were not yet far enough from the reservation to allow themselves a long stop. The store was burning fiercely; to force his unruly following to hurry, Black Wing, fired the saloon with his own hand, the wooden frame blazing like tinder. One by one the sheds and shacks were ignited; three or four wretches, with fresh, gory scalps dangling at their belts, rushed over to apply the torch to the only remaining building, Pete Oberlin's shanty. A young brave stumbled over the inanimate form in the pathway, and with a whoop of delight waved his blade over the thick black locks. Just as he stooped to his victim, an add, long-drawn cry arrested his arm in its motion. A wild and dust-covered figure sprang into the blood-crazed circle, pouring out a torrent of gutteral abuse and lamentation that somehow commanded attention.

The old woman—for it was Wawaga—bent above the prostrate man, waving off the armed braves, and felt felt for the faintest of heart-beats; then raising herself to her full height, shaking back her snaky hair, and with a rude, powerful majesty, she commanded in her own tongue:

"Go, while yet you have time! Before the morning has ended, the soldiers will be on you. This man still lives. He is mine; do not touch him; you have the scalps of the others."

Wawaga was one of the mothers of the tribe, and her words had weight with the warriors. Black Wing mounted his pony and all of his raiders did likewise. In the light of the gray, cloudy morning, a wild procession scurried over the plains and away once more to the mountains, where they could find secret hiding and for months elude their pursuers, while they kept the whole country in terror with their thieving burning and killing.

When Pete Oberlin, lying in his own bunk, opened his eyes on the dim scene lighted by the flickering fire, he thought he had gone through a horrible dream. Kicking off the covers, he sat up with a vigorous jerk; but the sharp pain in his shoulder made him grind his teeth in agony. At the same moment he became aware of a dark figure crouched in one corner holding a bundle of white. His sudden motion and muttered exclamation stirred the quiet watcher; stumbling to her feet, she bore her burden to the pallet and deposited it beside him. "Him live, lil boy," she announced gravely. Pete sank back beside the sleeping child, with a choking sensation, half thankfulness for their escape and half-horror at the suddenly conjured picture of the boy's murdered mother and brother. He remembered how he was wounded. How had they two escaped scalping? How came Wawaga there? Were the redskins still at the station? If so, he must use greatest caution. Perhaps they had kept him for torture. The woman anticipated his queries. "Injuns gone! You go now, 'fore come back!" Pete started again upright, maintaining his position in spite of the shooting pain and dreadful dizziness.

"Which way shall I go, and how?" he asked, eagerly. "I must take little Jim! Did them raskils git all ther hosses?"

"White man keep still! Wawaga get pony!" and the old woman drew the tattered blanket around her and slipped noiselessly from the room, leaving Pete to his own busy thoughts. She was gone but a few seconds, before she glided in again, muttering: "Him ready! You go fort, no find Injuns!"

Pete felt sick and faint; he wondered how he could keep himself and the drowsy child on the animal's back over the many miles of rough road that lay between them and safety; it was impossible to remain in their defenseless position, so he must make the effort. He could not imagine how the squaw had dismissed his assailants, and he expected, their return with darkness to finish their programme of vengeance.

Wawaga herself carried out the boy. "No touch, arm hurt," she said, motioning away the wounded man. Very gently she lifted the tiny figure, stilling the fretful wail and coaxing him to wake up and ride on the pony. She led the way and Pete followed; as he stepped out into the dusk, his heart swelled at the utter desolation, only the scorched row of gum trees marked the site of Rush Station beside his forlorn little cabin.

With a good deal of wrenching and pain, Pete clambered into the saddle, the squaw lifted the boy before him, the man gathered the bridle into his useful hand, encircling the child with the same arm. Before he put spurs to his horse and set out on his perilous journey, he leaned down toward thward the stunted and squalid hag at the horse's head, saying hoarsely "You're a good un, Wawaga! I'll do as much fer you if ever I git ther chance."

"Ugh!" grunted the old woman. "Squaw no good! Heap good white man,no let ol' Injun die! All even now. Here—ol' squaw take um—no good, b'long white man. She thrust a black something into his hand, and, turning stolidly around, re-entered the desolate cabin.

Peter Oberlin buried his spurs in his animal's flank, and the beast sprang forward past the heaps of smoldering cinders and the blasted row of gum-tres and headed straight for the mountains. In his unwounded hand, with the bridle, Pete held his long-lost briar-wood pipe.—Gertrude B. Millard, in the Argonaut.

EDISON'S WONDER.

A CHAT WITH THE INVENTOR ON THE KINETOGRAPH.

A Combination of Phonograph and Kinetoscope—The Difficulties of Attaining Perfection in the Most Marvelous of Inventions.

A visit to Thomas A. Edison is suggestive of a pilgrimage to the haunts of some mediaeval wizard. The Walpurgisnacht in Faust and the summit of the Brocken seem tame in comparison. The great inventor has established himself in a dell hidden among vagrant mountains in New Jersey wilds. The neighborhood has no inhabitants with the exception of the 200-odd men whom the wizard employs in his incantations. The place is an old deserted mine, once known as Ogden, but the rockabye railroad with wheezy, catarrhal engines that meander that way when the wind is not too strong, has given it the name of Edison. There are buildings all over Edison, large buildings that walk about the premises if you press a button. In fact, they rarely do anything at Edison without pressing a button. But one must know which buttons to press.

When you reach the place no one



The Kinetograph.

pays much attention to you. That is one of its dangerous fascinations.

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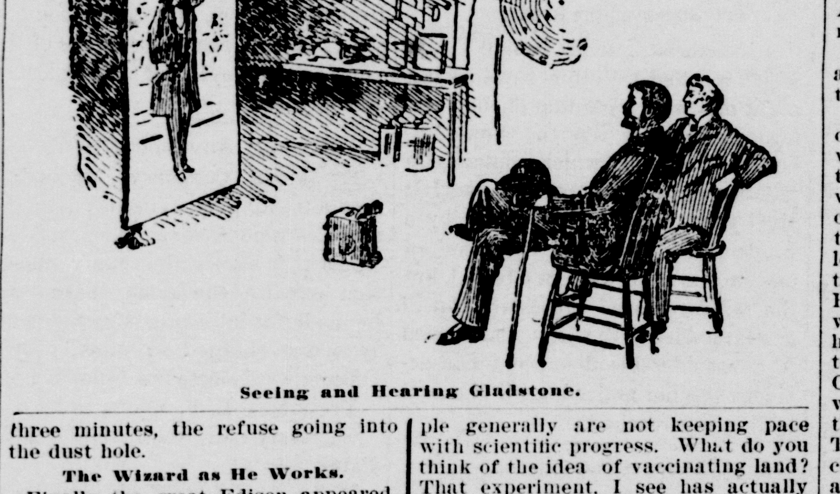
"But can I see Mr. Edison?"

"I don't know. The old man's around somewhere. Go to that red building."

Easier said than done, for the big, red building begins to move timidly away the moment you get near it, stops when you stop, advances when you advance, and is altogether a will of the wisp of architecture.

Finally it hove to and was boarded. It is an office and they pressed a button, found out Mr. Edison's exact location, said he would be along presently, and then began to break up mountains.

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Seeing and Hearing Gladstone.

The Wizard as He Works.

Finally the great Edison appeared. He was terribly dirty. He looked, so far as attire is concerned, like a navvy. He was all grime and dust. But his face was that of a bright, blue-eyed youth, beautifully blue eyed and smiling. Not until he took his vile, ash-covered hat off did the gray hair reveal that he is no longer young in years. His face is almost free from wrinkles.

"We are progressing, progressing," he said, when informed that his retreat had been invaded for the purposes of getting information concerning the latest and the greatest of his inventions, the one which is being eagerly awaited and which very few have had a chance to see. That is the combination of the phonograph with the kinetoscope, the contrivance to which Mr. Edison applied the term kinetograph on this occasion.

"The object of this machine," he said, "is to afford the spectator two inventions in one. That is, two senses are simultaneously appealed to. Suppose, we will say, an opera is to be reproduced. The phonograph already repeats the sound. The kinetoscope affords a view of the movements. Now, however, we wish to combine the two and combine them far more effectively than ever their distinct elements have heretofore been rendered by separate instruments.

"Thus, if one wished to hear and see the concert or the opera, it would only be necessary to sit down at home, look upon a screen and see the performance, reproduced exactly in every movement and at the same time the voices of the players and singers, the music of the orchestra, the various sounds that accompany a performance of this sort, will be reproduced exactly. The end attained is a perfect illusion. One really hears and sees the play, because the conditions precedent to the suitable impressions upon the eye and ear are obtained."

Mr. Edison's hearing has improved very much in the past year, owing, perhaps, to his perfect physical condition. He spoke well and distinctly, and is never, apparently, as much impressed with the wonders he performs as are his workmen.

He was asked if ordinary sights and scenes, the Pope in the Vatican, or a speech at a mass meeting, could be as effectively handled.

"Far more easily," he replied, "that is the least difficult part of the problem. Even now, the spectator could be treated to a perfect reproduction of Gladstone making a speech to the house of commons. This would be shown of life size and, so far as the spectator is concerned, would be the real scene. For every word, every gesture of the grand old man, the gestures of each spectator and the sounds made on the occasion would be reproduced exactly. And, of course 200 years hence the same scene could be thrown up at will—a new way of recording history, you see."

"Is not the mechanism very complicated?"

"Not more so than that of the kinetoscope and the phonograph, and the difficulty of photographic apparatus in minute fractions of a second. Certain ashes of motion, are caught in ten forty-ninths of a second. But in preserving them and in their reproduction, out or two obstacles are met with. The negative itself is very small not much larger than your thumb nail. In reproducing these postures and movements great care is necessary in maintaining proportions.

Niceties of Adjustment.

To throw upon a screen a series of movements, each taking up an interval of time not longer, perhaps than a fifth part of ten forty-ninths of a second, and at the same time to insure fidelity is the problem. As it is, there are occasional distortions. If a movement in the reproduction be not, so to speak, run out consecutively, that is, if a change of posture be not accurately photographed, although the movement occupied but the two hundredth part of a second, the effect will be distorted. Hence the extreme nicety required in the mechanism."

"Perhaps to-morrow," said Mr. Edison, "we may perfect the machinery. Perhaps we shall have to work another year upon it. In truth, it is a very simple matter. It consists merely in adjusting thoroughly understood principles to a new contrivance made up of old contrivances. Were it not that we have such infinitely small sections of time to deal with there would be no difficulty at all. But, as I have told you, we know how to overcome the difficulty. We simply lack practice."

"Does it make any difference of what nature the representation to be produced is?"

"At present yes. In time, however, it will not. The reproduction of such sights and sounds as those enacted in the opening of congress would be very easy. The spectator could sit down in his drawing room or office and have the whole scene enacted in front of him. Nor would any special apartment or any particular preparation be necessary. But, with a grand opera, it would be more difficult. One must exercise great care in securing the ensemble. There are myriads of details connected with the tones, the gestures, the dress, the colors, the light, and such like. It is proposed to give these with scrupulous fidelity. Hence the temporary cessation of progress. Although we could give all these impressions with comparative exactness, it is intended to be perfectly faithful to the original. It never does to perpetrate a half performance. It is disappointing and apt to shake confidence in an invention. For myself, I have no doubt whatever of the outcome. Before many years we will have grand opera in every little village at 10c a head—and the very highest grand opera. You will hear and see Patti in your own parlor. She will be heard a hundred years after her death, and seen and will move and thrill her auditors in 3010. The president's inauguration can be treated in the same way. Pope Leo and his cardinals may be seen and heard for unnumbered centuries to come."

Its Value in History.

Mr. Edison's blue eyes lighted up with enthusiasm.

"What a way to write history," he repeated, echoing the words of his questioner. "Well, I had never thought of that, particularly, and yet it is a way to write it, isn't it? How much more effectively one could convey to future generations an idea of the president than words and writing could. In fact, written records would cease to have their historical importance."

Another use for the invention namely, the sentimental one, had not occurred to Mr. Edison either. Yet the machine ought to be welcomed by lovers—it insures the perpetual presence of the adored one. Has not the poet said:

Could I but hear her voice,
Could I but see her face,
Why do the gods deny the gifts poor
mortals long for most?

But Mr. Edison was not yet born in Camoen's time.

"Yet," went on the wizard, "these things are not as wonderful as they seem. It appears to me that the people generally are not keeping pace with scientific progress. What do you think of the idea of vaccinating land? That experiment, I see has actually been made with success. The object of this process is to improve the quality of the soil. The law of diminishing returns, so long an important factor in political economy, is thus overcome. To explain the method employed so as to be comprehensible to the popular mind is not easy. You see, certain roots of plants which flourish in inferiorsoils have been ascertained to nourish a parasite. The parasites afford the plant through their organic functions strength and vitality. In return the parasites are fed and sustained by certain properties of the root. One supports the other, and the two together have a decided effect upon the soil in which they grow. Now, this process of nature has been successfully applied by science. What we may term an agricultural miss is obtained, and the impoverished soil into which it is introduced is almost at once bettered. The process is permanently fertilizing, and can not fail to effect, in time, a revolution in farming."

Here a button was pressed somewhere in the remote regions, and Mr. Edison hastened away. The "Plant," as he calls the wierd agglomeration at Edison, is being enlarged from day to day. In about six weeks it will be completed, and to-day has a very strange look. It contains the only stone-breaker in the world of its extraordinary kind. It will reduce a mountain of ordinary size to dust in one day. There are telephones everywhere, and phonographs for making memoranda connected with the desks. There are no houses, no candles or lanterns. Labor is reduced to a minimum. A day's toil consists largely in pressing a series of buttons. And they never think this extraordinary in the queer place. Even the 'prentice boys are very scientific. They release the giant forces of nature and hold them in check again. Edison is the Nimrod of this electrical game reserve, with his pack running and gamboling all about him.



Edison in Working Dress.

A Saddening Sight.

First Tramp—Lookee here, Jim. Here's a man been killed on the railroad; all cut to bits.

Second Tramp (sadly)—Too bad! too bad! Thim clothes would 'a' just about fit me, and they's all spoiled.—New York Weekly.

Cold Bluff, Anyhow.

She—What does it mean when a man threatens to commit suicide because you refuse him?

The Widower—It means he prefers the refrigerator to the frying-pan.—Life.

Boone and the Indians.

Boone frequently took to the field on set expeditions against the savages. Once when he and a party of other men were making salt at a lick, they were surprised and carried off by the Indians. The old hunter was a prisoner with them for some months, but finally made his escape and came home through the trackless woods as straight as the wild pigeon flies. He was ever on the watch to ward off the Indian inroads, and to rescue the prisoners.

Once his own daughter and two other girls who were with her were carried off by a band of Indians. Boone collected some friends and followed them steadily for two days and a night; then they came to where the Indians had killed a buffalo calf, and were camped. Firing from a little distance, they shot two Indians, and, rushing in, rescued the girls.

On another occasion when Boone had gone to visit a salt-lick with his brother, the Indians ambushed them and shot the latter. Boone himself escaped, but the Indians followed him for three miles by the aid of a tracking dog, until Boone turned, shot the dog, and then eluded the pursuers. In company with Simon Kenton and many of the noted hunters and wilderness warriors, he once and again took part in perilous expeditions into the Indian country. Twice bands of Indians accompanied by French, Tory, and British partisans from Detroit, bearing the flag of Great Britain, attacked Boonesborough. In each case Boone and his fellow-settlers beat them off with loss.

At the fatal battle of the Blue Licks, in which two hundred of the best riflemen of Kentucky were beaten with terrible slaughter by a great force of Indians from the lakes, Boone commanded the left wing. Leading his men, rifle in hand, he pushed back and overthrew the force against him; but meanwhile the Indians destroyed the right wing and center, and got in the rear, so that there was nothing for Boone's men except to flee with all speed.—Theodore Roosevelt in May St. Nicholas.

To manufacturers like the Royal Baking Powder Company, the public is under a large debt of gratitude for the increased purity of articles of food sold at the present day. The reports of the official Government investigations of baking powders show the Royal to be stronger and purer than any other. It is quite evident that neither ingenuity, science nor expense can in any way improve upon the Royal Baking Powder as now before the public.

JAPANESE AS HUSTLERS.

They Have Invaded Chicago Trade and Propose to Stay.

Japanese enterprise has found in Chicago a promising field for a wholesale business in fat checked gods with unpronounceable names and expressions of acute idiocy, and other articles of vertu from the land of the mikado. One firm will soon be prepared to furnish to the trade at the usual discounts a choice line of lares and penates in porcelain, wood, ivory and other materials, embroidered silks ornamental articles of furniture in carved teakwood, dainty porcelains decorated in designs that only the brain of a Japanese artist could conceive, bronzes and antiquities. The firm has been doing a profitable business on State street since the first of last December. They learned the ways of the Caucasian merchant so rapidly that they have already started an auction for "closing up their retail establishment at a great sacrifice."

This is the only Japanese firm doing business in the city at present. During the fair there was a firm on Adams street and another in a basement on Wabash avenue, but they did not find their ventures profitable, and went out of the business some time ago.

"The Japanese are hustlers," said one of the firm, "and I see no reason why we should not get our share of the trade. We expect to get it anyway. Most of the Japanese who have come to America so far have come to study. We have been too busy learning the ways of western civilization to pay much attention to trade. But now that Japan has earned her way in the list of first-class powers her people can devote more attention to business. The Japanese colony in Chicago is small. Six are connected with this firm and there are not more than eighteen others in the city. There is not a Japanese woman in the city at present. There were some here a year ago, but they have returned to Japan. The Japanese are not clannish; they do not flock together in any particular section, but are scattered all over the city. Most of them live on the south side."

The Japanese unlike the Chinese, cling to none of the customs of their native land. They wear European clothes of good material. All speak English, and they board at American hotels and eat plain American hotel fare.

Solid Yet Elastic.

In its present elaborate form the hoof of a horse is the most perfect instrument of support which has been devised in the animal kingdom to uphold a large and swiftly moving animal in its passage over the ground. The original toe-nail, and the neighboring soft parts connected with it, have been modified into a structure which in an ordinary manner combines solidity with elasticity, so that it may strike violent blows upon the hard surface of the earth without harm. The result is that the horse can carry a greater weight at a swifter speed than any other animal approaching it in size.—Prof. N. S. Shaler in Scribner's.

Royal Baking Powder is the purest and highest in strength of any of the baking powders, and hence makes more, finer and better food. These are the official facts as set forth by the U. S. Government and the various State Chemists' reports. Of course great efforts will be made by those interested in the sale of the cheaper made, alum powders, to continue their sale where consumers have made up their minds to have the Royal and call for it at their grocers. The Royal Powder is so much superior to all the other preparations for quick raising, that it will amply repay housekeepers to use the necessary persistency to procure it in spite of all objections.

Aluminum Successfully Hardened.

It is stated that the successful tempering of aluminum, so as to give it the consistency of iron, is a discovery of F. Allard of Quebec, whose rediscovery of the lost Egyptian art of hardening copper startled the mechanical world three or four years ago. He has made and hardened a cannon, which has just been tested in the presence of Colonel Spence, the American consul, and a number of others, with success. This cannon is 28 inches long and 5 inches in diameter, the metal of the gun outside of the bore being only one-quarter of an inch thick. A charge consisting of a pound of powder was fired out of this without any appreciable effect upon it. A new and scientific trial of the cannon has been ordered by the Canadian military authorities and the United States consul. Allard has been asked to manufacture as soon as possible a cannon 12 feet long for direct shipment to Washington.

"Dr. Trousseau, surgeon to the Quinze-Vingts Eye hospital," says the Paris correspondent of the Lancet, "gives the preference for innocuity to incandescent electric light, and assigns second place to petroleum lamps, which may advantageously be employed for ordinary purposes. He condemns in toto the light yielded by oil, and more particularly that given by candles. The gas jet is the more hurtful to the eye, its only recommendation being its convenience."

CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

They Contemplate Organizing a New Association.

When the United States Confederate Veterans meet at Houston, Texas, in May, one of the important matters to be consummated will be the organization of a national association, in which it is desired to enroll as many as possible of the Confederate veterans of the civil war. Of the new or-



Gen. S. D. Lee.

ganization it is thought that Stephen D. Lee will be president. He is a resident of Mississippi and is commander of one of the two departments of the United Confederate Veterans. At the meeting in Houston will be determined the location and general plans of the institution, the money for which will be raised by subscription.

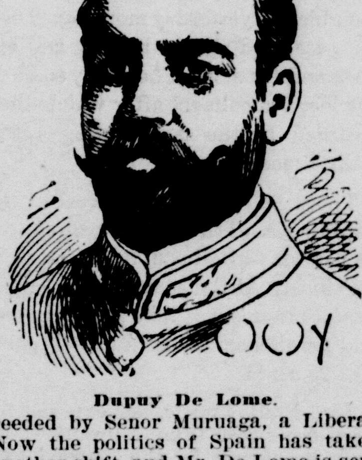
Popular Electrical Theories.

A history of popular misconceptions on electrical subjects would make entertaining reading. The superintendent of a California electric light station tells that among a thousand puzzling inquiries that were addressed to him on the night that the electric light was started in his city was the poser: "Where its the hole in the wire that the juice comes through?" An electrical supply firm in Nova Scotia has lately received the following letter from a Cape Breton correspondent: "Will you kindly let me know all the particulars about the incandescent lamps which you have advertised in the Recorder? That is, what is used in them—is it kerosene oil, etc., or, if not, what is it? And can the material be easily obtained? I am desirous of getting one or more of them, and would like to know all about them." A well-known London weekly paper gravely publishes among its bits of electrical information the announcement that "A German electrician recently hived a swarm of bees by the use of electricity. He passed a powerful current through the bough of the tree on which they clustered, and the shock caused them to fall stupefied to the ground. Before they had time to recover he had them collected and placed in a new hive." An inventive genius, who hails from Columbus, O., has discovered that "if two dissimilar conductors of electricity which are subject to slight atomic change under the influence of sound are joined together, after the manner of a pair of thermauile bars, and the open ends are insulated by a suitable non-conductor of both sound and electricity, a current is generated when sounds are made in the vicinity of the exposed ends. If two or more such elements are connected together we have an acoustic battery, and by increasing the number of elements it is possible to operate an ordinary call bell by simply clapping the hands in front of the exposed ends of the battery." This sounds impressive. The way in which the inventor proposes to turn his inspired idea to account is to establish an electrical perpetual motion, and among other things to wind clocks by the noise of their own pendulums, and lights shops by the noise of the machinery. A contemporary says: "By this scheme also an auctioneer may yet run an electrical cash system with the sound of his own voice; some janitor by the force of his profanity may store up electricity enough to ring a church bell; policemen in noisy boots could furnish street lights; the mooing cows may furnish power to cut their own fodder, and a barking dog may keep an electric light burning by and by on the lawn."

THE SPANISH MINISTER.

Dupuy de Lome Appointed to Succeed Muruaga.

Especial interest is felt in this country at this time in the change of Spanish Minister to the United States on account of the Alliance affair. Senor de Lome was the Spanish Minister at Washington three years ago, serving only six months, and being succeeded by Muruaga. He is a conservative, which, in part, led to his being suc-



Dupuy De Lome.

ceeded by Senor Muruaga, a Liberal. Now the politics of Spain has taken another shift, and Mr. De Lome is sent back to his former station. He also served in this country as one of Spain's World's Fair Commissioners, the post being particularly important at a time when one of Spain's royal family, Princess Eulalie, visited the World's Fair.

The Value of Sight.

A sunbeam is a small thing, yet it has a power to fade the carpets and curtains, to rot the blinds, and for this reason some folks carefully exclude the sunshine. What is the result? The family is always ailing, the young girls have a waxen, white skin and a weary pinched expression, of countenance. Their appetites fail, they fall into such a bad state of health that the doctor is called in. In olden days he would have shaken his head, perhaps, and friends would have whispered that dreaded word "decline!" Nowadays he notes the pale gums and waxen skin and says "anaemia;" prescribes iron and milk, fresh air, and exercise and often a change. If he knows nothing about the darkened rooms, he will be puzzled as to why no permanent improvement manifests itself, and, possibly, the patient will seek other advice.—Popular Medical Monthly.

To Manufacture Glass Pipe.

A new method of manufacturing glass pipe has been discovered which promises to revolutionize that industry. It has hitherto been found impossible to mold large glass tubes of any great length because the glass would cool while running into the mold,and the structure of the tube was not homogeneous. The new method consists of using a mold with a movable piston. The piston is just enough smaller than the outer shell of the mold to allow for the thickness of the tube to be made. The piston is placed at the bottom of the mold and as the molten glass is poured in the piston is forced upward by hydraulic pressure. Pipes are made by this process in sections six feet long and are used for sewers and water pipes.

Her Excuse.

"Why would you not see me yesterday when I called?" he asked, reproachfully.

"It is Lent," said the girl, sweetly, "and I am practising self-denial."—Detroit Free Press.

That Tired Feeling

It is remarkable how many people there are who have That Tired Feeling and seem to think it is of no importance or that nothing need be done for it. They would not be so careless if they realized how really serious the malady is. But they think or say, "It will go off after a while."

We do not mean the legitimate weariness which all experience after a hard day's work, but that all-gone, worn-out feeling which is especially overpowering in the morning, when the body should be refreshed and ready for work. It is often only the forerunner of nervous prostration, with all the horrible suffering that term implies. That Tired Feeling and nervousness are sure indications of an impure and impoverished condition of the blood. The craving of the system for help can only be met by purifying the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one great blood purifier. It expels all impurities, gives vitality and strength, regulates the digestion and makes the weak strong.

"In the spring I felt very much run down—no strength or appetite. I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and my appetite improved and I did not have that tired feeling." H. R. SQUIRES, East Leverett, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Makes Pure Blood.

Little Slaves in England.

"Does slavery survive in England?" asks the London "Christian World," and this is the answer: "After reading Saturday's 'special' number of the 'Schoolmaster' on the subject of 'Half-timers,' we find it difficult to answer in the negative. An inspector writes: "I examined a child who rose at 5:30 worked at a mill, and then walked a couple of miles to examination. Another girl of 11 rose soon after 5 a. m., and walked through the frost and snow nearly two miles to the mill. Work commenced at 6 and continued till 8:30, when there was an interval for breakfast—the child not leaving the mill. At 9 work again till 12:30'—six hours in all—'and then dinner at the mill. At 1:30 the child trudged off to school.' How many British children are liable to this sort of experience? Not less than 170,000! Shame on us!" Such facts are a shame indeed, to any civilized not to say Christian community.

Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away

Is the truthful, startling title of a book about No-To-Bac, the harmless, guaranteed tobacco habit cure that braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminates the nicotine poison, makes weak men gain strength, vigor, and manhood. You run no physical or financial risk, as No-To-Bac is sold by Druggists everywhere, under a guarantee to cure or money refunded. Book free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago.

Electricity in the Kitchen.

Electricity, though it seems to come into house-furnishing slowly, except for lighting, is, evidently, to be the hope and dependence of the coming housekeeper. Some sanguine ones promise in five years small elevators for private houses that will run by a button, and in the kitchen domain the magic electrical spark is to be a veritable fairy godmother. One on duty in a California restaurant is already removing the odor of cooking food. The proprietor introduced an electric exhaust fan with the happiest results. The fan, which is operated by a small motor, draws up the heated air and smells of the kitchen, and drives them up a shaft, whence they escape into the outer air.

A Poisonous Mist.

This fitly describes miasma, a vaporous poison which breeds chills and fever, bilious remittent, dumb ague, ague cake, and in the tropics deadly typhoid forms of fever. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters prevents and cures these complaints. Biliousness, constipation, dyspepsia, nervous and kidney trouble, rheumatism, neuralgia and impaired vitality are also remedied by the great restorative.

Lions Ate the Bear.

From Lemberg our Vienna correspondent learns that a terrible battle has been fought the railway station at Rawaruska. A menagerie was being conveyed by rail, and when the train stopped at the station a great noise was heard. The guards went to wagons containing the wild beasts and found that the wooden partitions which separated three lionesses from three bears and these again from three hyenas broken down and the animals engaged in battle. One bear was missing. The lions had eaten him, skin and all. They had bitten another bear's paw off and a hyena lay dead on the floor. Two lions in a neighboring compartment remained calm. No one dared interfere between the fighting beasts until the owner arrived in a sledge and separated them —not before he had been bitten by a bear, however. He claims damages from the railway administration because the partitions gave away.—London Daily News.

Hegeman's Camphor Ice with Glycerine. Cures Chapped Hands and Face, Tender or Sore Feet, Chilblains, Piles, &c. C. G. Clark Co., New Haven, Ct.

English As She Is Spoke.

"Who was that member of parliament who said that all men who differed from him were dead wrong, and who refused to give anything to the shipwrecked sailors?"

"A liberal, I believe."—Tit Bits.

A Sure Sign.

On the Japanese Warship—First officer—There's a cruiser reported a little ahead.

Second Officer—Chinese?

First Officer—No, sir. She's headed this way.—Sing Sing Courier.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething.

The Wisest Man.

Teacher—Who was the wisest man of ancient history?

Willie Doo—Some people say it was Solomon, but I think it was Noah. He knew enough to come in out of the wet, anyway.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

For Appearance.

Mother—How is it that you get so many bad marks at school?

Little Johnny—Well, the teacher has got to mark somebody or else folks will think she ain't attending to her business.—Tit Bits.

"Hanson's Magic Corn Salve." Warranted to cure or money refunded. Ask your druggist for it. Price 15 cents.

In South America.

Donna Inez—What is that rumbling noise in the street? It makes me nervous.

Don Manuel—Don't be frightened, dear. It is only a revolution; or, perhaps an earthquake.—Puck.

I am entirely cured of hemorrhage of the lungs by Piso's Cure for Consumption.—Louisa Lindaman, Bethany, Mo., Jan. 8,'94.

Uncomfortable Meals.

Mrs. Muggs—So you are not going to Mrs. Lugg's party?

Mrs. Puggs—No, I'm not. When supper comes, she always tells about a lot of nice things she intended to get, but couldn't.—New York Weekly.

Mothers appreciate the good work of Parker's Ginger Tonic, with its reviving qualities —a boon to the pain-stricken, sleepless and nervous

It is a mistake that nothing is lost by politeness. Anybody who has given up his seat in a street car knows that.

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Where Will It Stop.

"And now they are actually calling a new butter after Du Maurier's heroine!"

"No—impossible!"

'Yes. Tompkins calls his new goat Trilby.—Detroit Free Press.

When a man attempts to warm his hands at a hotel register it is time to inquire into his mental condition.

As Hot as Sahara.

The great Sahara Desert of Africa is regarded as the hottest region in the world. The vast plain which extends 2,000 miles from east to west, and 1,000 miles from north to south, has a temperature of 150 degrees Fahrenheit in the hottest days of summer. This is about the temperature of the hot room in the Turkish bath. It is said that the caravans which usually consist of from 500 to 2,000 camels, with their assistants, experience great suffering through the intense heat and the deprivation of water, as the distance between wells very often exceed ten days. There are numerous instances on record where whole tribes have perished from thirst, as the wells and springs to which they had journeyed had been dried up by the heat. It would be impossible for any but the acclimatized Moors, Berbers and Arabs to live, even for a day, in the heart of the rainless Sahara. In spite of the fact that the days are extremely hot the nights are nearly always uncomfortably cold, and the travelers are obliged to burden themselves with blankets in order to endure the change.—Brooklyn Eagle.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O., Proprs. of Hall's Catarrh Cure, offer $100 reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for testimonials, free. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Beautifying an Old Book.

In a beautiful old home in the lower part of this city there are three long drawing rooms. A number of small and exquisitely carved or inlaid tables are placed about the rooms, upon every one of which are articles of rare beauty, and always a few books. Of these there are both old and new but attention is always attracted to one little white volume. The old and battered white silk, richly embroidered almost to the edges with colored silks in roses and leaves. The silk has been fitted closely to the old cover, and flyleaves of the silk also slipped into it. The book itself was a collection of old letters, printed years ago, when s's were f's and type not so good as today. The leaves were yellow with age and crumpled about the edges, but it was a valuable book, and the ingenious cover was not only effective but practical.—Philadelphia Record.

Lives in Hopes.

Fashionable Philanthropy—Englishman—Why is it you Hamericans copy the Hinglish?

American—We are in hopes you Englishmen will see how it looks and get disgusted with yourselves.—Atlanta Constitution.

Plenty of Water.

Clerk—That house you let to Mr. and Mrs. Suburb has nothing but a cistern and that is fifty feet from the door. You told them was water in the house.

Agent—So there is. The cellar's half full.—Tit Bits.

A Temperance Town.

He (rapturously)—How beautiful you are! Just to gaze into your eyes intoxicates me.

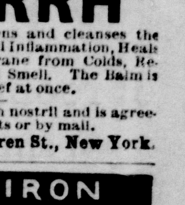
She (in alarm)—Hush-sh-sh. Don't speak of it. This is a local option town and I may be arrested and fined.—Detroit Free Press.

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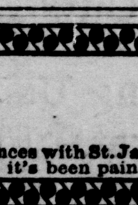
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Local News Notes.

Lace curtains as cheap as the cheapest at Parkers.

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Mrs. Sarah L. Sleeper went to Minneapolis on Tuesday.

Hon. J. C. Flynn, of Little Falls, was in the city on Wednesday.

R. H Jamison and G. N. Grant, of Tacoma, are here visiting with Harry Otis.

Chief of Police Wheeler, of St. Cloud, was in the city on Wednesday on business.

A base ball and bat given away with every boy's suit of clothes by J. F. McGinnis & Co.

A. F. Ferris went to St. Paul on Tuesday on business connected with the taking of the census.

John Bubar has been in St. Cloud and Minneapolis this week on business connected with the N. P. Clarke embarrassment.

N. P. Lawrence, a newspaper man from Minneapolis, was in the city Wednesday, on his way to the Leech Lake country.

Repairs on the bridge crossing the ravine have been in progress this week, which necessitated the transfer of street car travel over the wagon bridge.

Louis Vossberg came up from St. Cloud Tuesday to cast his lot with the Brainerd base ball aggregation. Mr. Vossberg is said to be a valuable acquisition to the team.

W. H. Workman, has severed his connection with the Little Falls Transcript to accept the district management of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Milwaukee.

The depot of the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota railroad has been moved to a site near the old brick yard. The change was made because the company desired more room for side tracks.

A valuable horse belonging to A. Drapeau, the feed man, was killed on Tuesday. The horse stepped on the end of a board which flew up and cat a gash a foot long in the animal, which was afterwards shot.

Geo. D. LaBar, cashier of the First National Bank of Brainerd, was in town on business last Monday. He has promised to assist our village council in advantageously placing the electric light bonds.—Aitkin Age.

Rev. Geo. West left on Tuesday for New York, from which place he will sail for his old home in Ireland, where he will spend the greater part of the summer. Mrs. West accompanied him as far as Minneapolis, where she will remain until his return.

Messrs. Johnson and Thielman, of Brainerd, rode down from that city on their bicyles yesterday morning. They were escorted about the city and entertained for several hours by some of our local wheelmen, after which they returned by the same route.—Little Falls Transcript.

There will be a tea given in the Guild room of the Episcopal church on Tuesday afternoon, tea from 6 to 8 o'clock. At the same time a sale of useful articles will take place. Ladies and gentlemen are cordially invited. Tea 25 cents.

Mr. Fred Puhler, an experienced newspaper man from Milwaukee, has been employed by the Journal as a general all-around man, and begins his work today.—Stevens Point, (Wis.) Journal.

Mr. Puhler was formerly proprietor of this paper, and previous to that lived at Ada, where he was postmaster and newspaper man combined.

The ladies of the Eastern Star entertained a number of their friends very pleasantly with progressive euchre on Monday evening at their rooms in Columbian Block. Quite a goodly sum of money was raised, and instead of giving the usual prizes, the proceeds were donated to the Woman's Relief Corps to purchase flowers for Decoration Day.

The logging situation is sized up in the following telegram from Aitkin: Log driving in this vicinity has been a failure this year, and all attempts at it have ceased. The water is so low in the small streams that there is small prospect of any successful driving before June. Some of the lumbermen have sent up crews, but have been compelled to lay up and wait for water. Plenty of rain has fallen for the purpose of the farmers, however, and they are in good spirits.

C. N. Parker informs us that work will be commenced on the Brainerd telephone system next week, and that the same will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, probably a month will be consumed before it is in working condition. In the business part of the city the poles will be erected in the alleys in order to avoid the electric light wires and street car trolley. There are at present something over 50 subscribers, and it is expected that by the time the system is in operation that the number will be increased to 75 or 80. The improvement will be a success from the start.

Stockings for boys, the best for the money at Parkers.

Mrs. Grandelmyer went to Minneapolis on Thurday on business.

A new steamboat is being fitted up by A. Lessard to be put on Gull lake.

Robert Patrick, a former resident here, has been visiting Brainerd friends during the week.

The Staples World says that Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Harmon have a 9-pound daughter at their house since Tuesday.

You can get a strictly all wool suit made to order for $13.50, and pants for $4, at P. F. Mauer's, Sleeper block, up-stairs.

Harmon & Campbell, the Laurel street grocery firm have dissolved partnership, Mr. Harmon continuing the business.

N. B. Chase left on Tuesday to resume his position with the party of men who are estimating timber on the Chippewa Indian lands in Northern Minnesota.

The Rev. C. S. W. Pentreath, of Winnipeg, has accepted the call to St. Paul's Episcopal Church in this city, and will commence his duties here on June 4th.

Pap Thomas Post G. A. R. have appointed the following committees to arrange for the Memorial Day services: Transportation—Comrades Paine and Reuss. Grounds—Comrades Paine and Hagadorn. Decorations—Comrade Healey.

On Monday evening next the Board of Trade will hold its regular meeting at which time there will be matters of importance to come up. One of the matters to be discussed is the taking of the census, and it is hoped a large attendance will be present.

A man by the name of Walter Allen died suddenly ten miles up the river at Seeley's Landing of heart disease on Wednesday night. The deceased was in the employ of the boom company, and on retiring complained of not feeling well. Later on in the night he aroused the crew and died in a very short time. His remains were brought to this city and interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

At a meeting of the Board of Education on Monday evening it was decided to close the schools on Tuesday, May 8th, for the summer vacation. The election of a principal for the Whittier school was taken up and A E. Fritz was chosen to fill the position. The resignation of Miss Mary Fuller was accepted. The finance committee was authorized to make a loan to cover the pay roll and monthly expenses.

O. B. Johnson, who has been in the employ of Slipp Bros. for some years, was very pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening by a number of his friends at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage. Mr. Johnson leaves for his old home in Sweden on Monday next, and the surprise was gotten up in honor of the event. Several very fine presents were tendered him, Rev. Eckman making the presentation speech, and the evening was very pleasantly passed.

During the heavy storm of Friday evening last lightning struck the Baptist and Presbyterian churches almost simultaneously. At the latter place a church entertainment was in progress and the church was full of people, but luckily no one was injured, although the structure was badly damaged. At the Baptist church the bolt came down through the kitchen in the rear of the building, scattering the furniture and doing considerable damage. Luckily Mr. and Mrs. Fred Regan, who occupy the apartments, had just left the room when the crash came.

J. C. Congdon came up from Brainerd on Friday to look after seeding operations on his big farm east of the city. He inveigled the Journal man into taking a ride out there with him and we called at several farm houses and saw many crops ere our return. We found that the early sown wheat is up and growing nicely, as well as some pieces of oats. Very little flax is sown as yet and it is quite early for that, for if a frost should catch it when first up it would cook it like buckwheat—result, no flax crop. J. C. secured some flax seed and will sow fifty acres of it.—Crookston Journal.

The famous musician and composer Dr. Gustav Stolpe, is coming to Brainerd May 18th, and will give a musical entertainment at the Swedish Lutheran Church, corner 8th and Norwood, on the evening of that date. Dr. Stolpe will lecture (in Swedish) very briefly and illustrate by 10 or 12 selections on the piano and violin. The musical selections will be the main feature of the program, so that even those who do not understand the lecture, but know how to appreciate music of a high grade, will be amply rewarded for coming. Tickets only 25 cents, on sale next week at McFadden's Drug Store, at the Big 9 and at M. Hagberg's.

The consideration of the case of J. M. Elder vs. James New came up before the municipal court last Saturday, the result being that Mr. New was discharged. Both gentlemen are in the plumbing business in this city and the misunderstanding between them arose from the fact that Mr. New had tapped the mains of the Minnesota Water Works Co. while the company had made the rule that such work should be done under their own supervision. The charge for this work was $8 and the price was considered exhorbitant by the other plumbing institutions in this city, hence the refusal of Mr. New to pay the price, followed by the refusal of the Minnesota Water Works Co. to issue a permit to Mr. New unless the price was paid. In the face of this the gentleman went ahead and tapped the main and his arrest was caused with the above result.

Boy's suits from $1.25 up, the cheapest in the city at Parker's.

Crossed the Dark River.

Mrs. P. K. Johnson, aged 72 years, died at the residence of her son, C. D. Johnson, in this city, on Thursday, May 9th, of heart trouble and the infirmities of old age.

The maiden name of the deceased was Laura Bivins, and she was born in Erie county, N. Y., near Buffalo in 1823, where she lived until 1848, coming in that year to St. Paul, where she was united in marriage to P. K. Johnson, who survives her, two years later. In 1852 her husband located the present city of Mankato, and the year following she went there with him, where they resided for over 40 years. About three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Johnson came to Brainerd and have since made their home with their children here. The deceased was a lady of estimable character, and her death, although not unexpected, will cause a pang of sorrow to her many friends in this city and in other portions of the state. Her children, Mrs. N. McFadden, C. D. Johnson, F. B. Johnson and Wm. Johnson, all reside in this city, and to them and her aged husband the sympathy of the community is extended.

The funeral services will be held. to-morrow (Saturday) morning from the residence of C. D. Johnson on 5th street north, Rev. T. M. Edmands officiating.

J. B. Sargent, aged 73 years, died at the Lumberman's Hospital in this city on Monday, May 6th, of cancer of the liver.

The deceased was born in Ohio in January, 1822, and lived there until he was 16 years old, when he settled at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, and resided there and in that vicinity until thirteen years ago. He spent some time in Nebraska, but the latter part of his life in this state. He was a member of the Mt. Vernon Masonic lodge, and his remains were taken to that place by his son, Charles Sargent, on Tuesday afternoon, where they were interred under Masonic ceremonies on Thursday. The deceased was a gentleman highly respected by all who knew him. Mrs. Eliza Laughlin, of Lisbon, N. D., Mrs. E. Lynn, of State Center, Iowa, and Chas. Sargent, of Gilmore City, Iowa, his children, were with him during the last week of his illness.

Took His Foot Off.

On Monday evening as the Duluth passenger train was starting out from the depot west a tramp by the name of James E. Costain, attempted to swing under the sleeper, by means of the rods which run under the car, onto the brake beam. Being somewhat under the influence of liquor he missed his hold and fell onto the track between the rails, the wheels crushing his right foot so that amputation at the ankle was necessary. He was taken to the Lumbermen's Hospital, where the operation was performed.

Removed the Roof.

A Northern Pacific freight train which reached Duluth at 9 o'clock last night met with a peculiar mishap yesterday afternoon, says the News-Tribune. The train, which contained a number of wheat cars, had just left McGregor when it was struck by a windstorm. With the exception of one car the train was not affected, but the wind removed the entire top of one car loaded with wheat, and carried it a considerable distance. The accident was not noticed until the next station was reached.

Shoot at Clay Pigeons.

The Gun Club members held a special meeting on Tuesday evening at White's gun store on Laurel street, at which time Wednesday was decided upon as the regular shooting day, and the time was fixed at 9 a. m. It was decided to shoot at 15 singles, the same as last year. Outsiders who desire to shoot will be charged 50 cents for the privilege and 2 cents for every bird shot at. The electric pulls have been placed in position by Field Captain Veon, and the traps work to a charm. The grounds have been smoothed down and at each end a "danger" sign has been ordered placed in order to warn the public from coming up the bank when the shooting is in progress. The Club are arranging to hold a tournament in June.

Wednesday morning the first regular shoot of the season occurred, with the following score on 15 singles:

McClenahan	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	-	5
Courtney	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	- 9
Westfall	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	-11
Kirkwood	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	-10
Walker	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	- 7
Tache	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	- 4
Ingersoll	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	- 4
Mantor	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	-13
Smith	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	-12
Casey	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	- 7
Keene	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	- 8
Veon	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	-14

A young man by the name of Hermann, son of Charles Hermann, met with an accident at the Brainerd Lumber Co.'s mill yesterday by which he lost one finger. The young man is employed in the shingle department and he accidently got his hand too near the knot saw.

Speaking of the Brainerd Lumber Company, the Lumberman says: The company is preparing to begin business as one of the leading business firms of the Northwest. Besides having an office at the point of manufacture in Brainerd, they will have offices here in Minneapolis where the bulk of the wholesale business will be done. Mr. C. F. Welles, the president of the company, will be in the Minneapolis office most of the time, and T. S. McLaughlin, who has until now been in the office of the Gull River Lumber company, will take the position of head bookkeeper at Minneapolis. At the Brainerd office E. B. McCullough, who for a number of years has been in the employ of Gardner, Batchelder & Welles, at Clinton, Iowa, will have charge. Mr. McCullough is now in Minneapolis, but will go to Brainerd the first of next week. For the present the company is occupying the office at 829 Lumber Exchange, but as soon as the Carpenter-Lamb company moves to the office at the mill, the Brainerd company will occupy the offices now occupied by them on the fifth floor.

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"Play Ball!"

The first game of base ball to be played this season by the Brainerd nine will take place on Sunday afternoon at the new grounds near the power house, at which time they will cross bats with the St. Paul Picketts, which latter team is said to be the best amateur nine in the Twin Cities. The new grounds are in first-class shape, the grand stand and fence having been completed this week. The arrangement of the grand stand is such that the spectators can view the game from the rear of the catcher, a wire netting having been so arranged as to stop the foul balls which otherwise would disturb those who occupy the grand stand seats. The price of admission to the grounds will be 25 cents, and 10 cents extra for grand stand seats, and 10 cents for children. As near as can be ascertained the Brainerd boys will line up on the diamond as follows:

Phyle, pitcher; Chas. McCarthy, catcher and left field; Burquin, short stop; Carroll, 1st base; Page, 2nd base; Hill, 3rd base; Paine, right field; Vossberg, left field and catcher; W. McCarthy, center field.

Game will be called at 3:30 sharp.

Make it Brainerd.

The Grand Rapids Magnet of this week again discusses the feasibility of improving the upper Mississippi river for navigable purposes. It quotes Hon. C. A. Towne as being in favor of the plan as also other prominent Minnesotians. The Magnet says: "It would be as well for the citizens of Grand Rapids to take the initiative in calling a public meeting and effect an organization, and through that body call a meeting of all interested, at either Brainerd, St. Cloud or Little Falls, sometime during the summer."—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

A May Wedding.

The wedding of Geo. O. Whitney to Miss Maud C. Pearce occurred on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierce, Rev. Geo. E. Rowe performing the ceremony. The bridesmaid was Miss Ricka M. Johnson, of Audubon, and the groomsman was Harry Whitney, brother of the groom. A wedding supper was served after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney went at once to housekeeping in their home in Third avenue, in East Brainerd, which had previously been furnished for their reception. The couple are well known to all our Brainerd readers, the groom being a son of A. E. Whitney, and one of the popular employes of the Electric Railway Co.

Cemetery Association Officers.

Evergreen Cemetery Association held a meeting on Tuesday evening at which time the secretary was instructed to notify the county officials that hereafter the same charge will be made for interments by the county as are charged to other people. Officers were elected as follows:

President—L. P. White, Sr.

Secretary and treasurer—Chas. M. Patek.

Actuary—Sidney Hockridge.

Trustees—James Hayes, S. W. Martin, H. Spalding, A. Bertram, D. Doran, Chas. Barnett.

Committee on Grounds—S. W. Martin, A. Bertram, H. Spalding.

Committee on finance—S. W. Martin, James Hayes, D. Doran.

Had $5 and Heart Disease.

Mrs. Tillie Gainer, a French woman of Brainerd, was in the city several times this week looking for her husband, who had disappeared and whom she feared some accident had befallen. A week ago last Monday they started for Brainerd from Minneapolis, the husband getting off the Northern Pacific here to go to Milaca to look after a land claim, and leaving his wife and children to go on to Brainerd. She says he had $5 in his pocket, and was troubled with heart disease. Not finding him here Mrs. Gainer went to Milaca. There she learned her husband had visited the land and taken a train Tuesday for St. Cloud. She inquired at all the hotels and the hospital in the city, but failed to find any trace of her missing man. She is 30 years old and has two children. The woman is very anxious as to Gainer's whereabouts and will thankfully receive any information regarding him.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

Garrison Items.

The rain of the past few days makes the farmers in this section feel good.

School opened in District No. 25 on May 6th, with Miss M. Miller as teacher.

Mrs. David Dykeman has been visiting friends in Brainerd for the past few days.

J. C. Hessell, one of Brainerd's machine men, was a visitor in this town a few days ago.

The fishing season has opened and our local fishermen will begin their harvest in earnest.

Some of the boys say there was an exciting horse race on the west shore of Jack Pine lake a few days ago between horses owned by C. W. Cofield and John Hill, the latter coming out winner.

The North Star Literary Society was the scene of quite an exciting time at its last meeting which should not occur again. People with ill feeling towards each other should take some other means and place of settling it than at a public meeting.

U. N. O.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

Regular Council Meeting.

The council met in regular session on Monday evening with a full board present.

The minutes of the previous meet were read and the reports of the clerk, chief of police, and street commissioner for the month of April were read and accepted. The city treasurer's report from Nov. 13, 1894, to May 1, 1895, was read and referred to the finance committee.

The matter of collecting delinquent electric light rentals was left in the hands of the clerk until next regular meeting.

Bills were allowed as follows:

Pay roll city employes	$702 46
Street pay roll	210 99
Electric light pay roll	247 00
Tribune, publishing	13 80
H. M. Phillips, draying, etc.	7 83
Jas. New, plumbing	2 46
Greer & Paine, repair work	5 20
Larson & Walters, coal	4 25
Wm. Williamson, work	5 00
J. J. Howe & Co., lumber	9 57
Slipp Bros., hardware	33 87
Lyman Arms, surveying	16 60
City Hotel, boarding prisoners	44 00
Jos. Bacon, work	15 26
Geo. Creamer, 58 cords wood	28 40
Con. O'Brien, lumber	12 71
Elec. Appliance Co	60 40
Elec. Eng. Co	18 53
Stanley Elec. Mfg. Co	147 00
Wm. Gergen, lumber	44 79

Bill of Oscar Wicks' of $150 for trees, was disallowed until damage done had been repaired.

Bill of T. McMaster, $50 for supplies, was laid on the table for two weeks.

Bill of N. E. Paine, $4.60, was referred to superintendent of electric lights.

The matter of examining new hose was left in the hands of the chief of fire department.

A communication from Stevens O'Brien, Cole & Albrecht, ordering the city to remove water wheel and other fixtures from the dam, was read and laid on the table.

A motion was made and carried to place a telephone in the central hose house when the system is put in.

An invitation from Pap Thomas Post to participate in the Memorial Day parade was accepted.

Wm. Skinner and Ben Lovely were granted dray licenses, and the dray license of Wm. Edwards was transferred to Joseph Atkinson.

H. Moberg & Peterson were granted liquor license, their bond being approved.

Jerome Keheler was granted a permit to erect one-story brick veneered building in the rear of Lots 7 and 8, Block 47.

The city clerk was instructed to purchase a new set of signal flags for weather service.

A motion was made and carried to appropriate $50 for Pap Thomas Post to assist in Memorial Day exercises.

The resignation of F. J. Stropp, as alderman from the First ward, was accepted, and the council adjourned.

On Friday evening, May 24th, Liberty Hose Co. No. 3, will give a grand ball at Gardner Hall, and the occasion will be a very pleasant one.

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If you want a good whip of any kind, go to Erb's harness shop on 5th street. A new stock just received.

If you want to sell city property list it with J. R. Smith.

Touch up and varnish your wagons for spring trade, at Congdon's. It will save you money.

Buy your meats at C. A. Walker & Co.'s, the finest in the city.

Consult your own interests and demonstrate your wisdom by patronizing the Dispatch for job work and advertising. Satisfaction guaranteed.

D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a new line of baby carriages.

If you want the finest beef in the city C. A. Walker & Co. has it—fresh killed native beef.

The office of J. R. Smith is the headquarters for reliable fire insurance. Room 2, Sleeper Block.

Canned salmon, sardines, etc., neat and fresh, just received at E. C. Bane & Co's.

The finest cuts of meat at all times can be obtained at the City Meat Market, Sixth street.

16 ounces to the pound *always* at M. Hagberg's.

A new stock of whips just received at W. H. Erb's harness shop on Fifth street.

Stove furnishings at the lowest prices at C. B. White's, on Laurel street, between 6th and 7th.

Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply at residence of Dr. Hemstead, 8th street, opposite opera house.

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Children's Summer Lawn Hats 12c., 20c., 25c., 29c. and 39c.

Ladies' 26 inch Gloria Sun Umbrellas, natural handles, 69c., 75c., $1 and upwards.

Challies—3c., 4c., 5c., 6c., 10c. and 12½c. per yard.

Light and Medium Summer Wash Novelties, a splendid lot, your choice of goods worth 12½c., 18c. and 20c., at the one price of 10c. per yard.

Linen Towels 15c. each, two for 25c. Cash Values.

Cashmeres and Wool Henriettas, 21c., 25c., 39c., 58c., 66c., 70c. and 90c. per yard. Cash Values Only.

Children's Hosiery 9c., 18c. and 25c. per pair, fast black, and warranted to wear.

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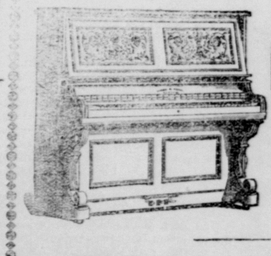
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Local News Notes.

Lace curtains as cheap as the cheapest at Parkers.

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Mrs. Sarah L. Sleeper went to Minneapolis on Tuesday.

Hon. J. C. Flynn, of Little Falls, was in the city on Wednesday.

R. H Jamison and G. N. Grant, of Tacoma, are here visiting with Harry Otis.

Chief of Police Wheeler, of St. Cloud, was in the city on Wednesday on business.

A base ball and bat given away with every boy's suit of clothes by J. F. McGinnis & Co.

A. F. Ferris went to St. Paul on Tuesday on business connected with the taking of the census.

John Bubar has been in St. Cloud and Minneapolis this week on business connected with the N. P. Clarke embarrassment.

N. P. Lawrence, a newspaper man from Minneapolis, was in the city Wednesday, on his way to the Leech Lake country.

Repairs on the bridge crossing the ravine have been in progress this week, which necessitated the transfer of street car travel over the wagon bridge.

Louis Vossberg came up from St. Cloud Tuesday to cast his lot with the Brainerd base ball aggregation. Mr. Vossberg is said to be a valuable acquisition to the team.

W. H. Workman, has severed his connection with the Little Falls Transcript to accept the district management of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Milwaukee.

The depot of the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota railroad has been moved to a site near the old brick yard. The change was made because the company desired more room for side tracks.

A valuable horse belonging to A. Drapeau, the feed man, was killed on Tuesday. The horse stepped on the end of a board which flew up and cat a gash a foot long in the animal, which was afterwards shot.

Geo. D. LaBar, cashier of the First National Bank of Brainerd, was in town on business last Monday. He has promised to assist our village council in advantageously placing the electric light bonds.—Aitkin Age.

Rev. Geo. West left on Tuesday for New York, from which place he will sail for his old home in Ireland, where he will spend the greater part of the summer. Mrs. West accompanied him as far as Minneapolis, where she will remain until his return.

Messrs. Johnson and Thielman, of Brainerd, rode down from that city on their bicyles yesterday morning. They were escorted about the city and entertained for several hours by some of our local wheelmen, after which they returned by the same route.—Little Falls Transcript.

There will be a tea given in the Guild room of the Episcopal church on Tuesday afternoon, tea from 6 to 8 o'clock. At the same time a sale of useful articles will take place. Ladies and gentlemen are cordially invited. Tea 25 cents.

Mr. Fred Publer, an experienced newspaper man from Milwaukee, has been employed by the Journal as a general all-around man, and begins his work today.—Stevens Point, (Wis.) Journal.

Mr. Publer was formerly proprietor of this paper, and previous to that lived at Ada, where he was postmaster and newspaper man combined.

The ladies of the Eastern Star entertained a number of their friends very pleasantly with progressive euchre on Monday evening at their rooms in Columbian Block. Quite a goodly sum of money was raised, and instead of giving the usual prizes, the proceeds were donated to the Woman's Relief Corps to purchase flowers for Decoration Day.

The logging situation is sized up in the following telegram from Aitkin: Log driving in this vicinity has been a failure this year, and all attempts at it have ceased. The water is so low in the small streams that there is small prospect of any successful driving before June. Some of the lumbermen have sent up crews, but have been compelled to lay up and wait for water. Plenty of rain has fallen for the purpose of the farmers, however, and they are in good spirits.

C. N. Parker informs us that work will be commenced on the Brainerd telephone system next week, and that the same will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, probably a month will be consumed before it is in working condition. In the business part of the city the poles will be erected in the alleys in order to avoid the electric light wires and street car trolley. There are at present something over 50 subscribers, and it is expected that by the time the system is in operation that the number will be increased to 75 or 80. The improvement will be a success from the start.

Stockings for boys, the best for the money at Parkers.

Mrs. Grandelmyer went to Minneapolis on Thurday on business.

A new steamboat is being fitted up by A. Lessard to be put on Gull lake.

Robert Patrick, a former resident here, has been visiting Brainerd friends during the week.

The Staples World says that Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Harmon have a 9-pound daughter at their house since Tuesday.

You can get a strictly all wool suit made to order for $13.50, and pants for $4, at P. F. Mauer's, Sleeper block, up-stairs.

Harmon & Campbell, the Laurel street grocery firm have dissolved partnership, Mr. Harmon continuing the business.

N. B. Chase left on Tuesday to resume his position with the party of men who are estimating timber on the Chippewa Indian lands in Northern Minnesota.

The Rev. C. S. W. Pentreath, of Winnipeg, has accepted the call to St. Paul's Episcopal Church in this city, and will commence his duties here on June 4th.

Pap Thomas Post G. A. R. have appointed the following committees to arrange for the Memorial Day services: Transportation—Comrades Paine and Reuss. Grounds—Comrades Paine and Hagadorn. Decorations—Comrade Healey.

On Monday evening next the Board of Trade will hold its regular meeting at which time there will be matters of importance to come up. One of the matters to be discussed is the taking of the census, and it is hoped a large attendance will be present.

A man by the name of Walter Allen died suddenly ten miles up the river at Seeley's Landing of heart disease on Wednesday night. The deceased was in the employ of the boom company, and on retiring complained of not feeling well. Later on in the night he aroused the crew and died in a very short time. His remains were brought to this city and interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

At a meeting of the Board of Education on Monday evening it was decided to close the schools on Tuesday, May 8th, for the summer vacation. The election of a principal for the Whittier school was taken up and A E. Fritz was chosen to fill the position. The resignation of Miss Mary Fuller was accepted. The finance committee was authorized to make a loan to cover the pay roll and monthly expenses.

O. B. Johnson, who has been in the employ of Slipp Bros. for some years, was very pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening by a number of his friends at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage. Mr. Johnson leaves for his old home in Sweden on Monday next, and the surprise was gotten up in honor of the event. Several very fine presents were tendered him, Rev. Eckman making the presentation speech, and the evening was very pleasantly passed.

During the heavy storm of Friday evening last lightning struck the Baptist and Presbyterian churches almost simultaneously. At the latter place a church entertainment was in progress and the church was full of people, but luckily no one was injured, although the structure was badly damaged. At the Baptist church the bolt came down through the kitchen in the rear of the building, scattering the furniture and doing considerable damage. Luckily Mr. and Mrs. Fred Regan, who occupy the apartments, had just left the room when the crash came.

J. C. Congdon came up from Brainerd on Friday to look after seeding operations on his big farm east of the city. He inveigled the Journal man into taking a ride out there with him and we called at several farm houses and saw many crops ere our return. We found that the early sown wheat is up and growing nicely, as well as some pieces of oats. Very little flax is sown as yet and it is quite early for that, for if a frost should catch it when first up it would cook it like buckwheat—result, no flax crop. J. C. secured some flax seed and will sow fifty acres of it.—Crookston Journal.

The famous musician and composer Dr. Gustav Stolpe, is coming to Brainerd May 18th, and will give a musical entertainment at the Swedish Lutheran Church, corner 8th and Norwood, on the evening of that date. Dr. Stolpe will lecture (in Swedish) very briefly and illustrate by 10 or 12 selections on the piano and violin. The musical selections will be the main feature of the program, so that even those who do not understand the lecture, but know how to appreciate music of a high grade, will be amply rewarded for coming. Tickets only 25 cents, on sale next week at McFadden's Drug Store, at the Big 9 and at M. Hagberg's.

The consideration of the case of J. M. Elder vs. James New came up before the municipal court last Saturday, the result being that Mr. New was discharged. Both gentlemen are in the plumbing business in this city and the misunderstanding between them arose from the fact that Mr. New had tapped the mains of the Minnesota Water Works Co. while the company had made the rule that such work should be done under their own supervision. The charge for this work was $8 and the price was considered exhorbitant by the other plumbing institutions in this city, hence the refusal of Mr. New to pay the price, followed by the refusal of the Minnesota Water Works Co. to issue a permit to Mr. New unless the price was paid. In the face of this the gentleman went ahead and tapped the main and his arrest was caused with the above result.

Boy's suits from $1.25 up, the cheapest in the city at Parker's.

Crossed the Dark River.

Mrs. P. K. Johnson, aged 72 years, died at the residence of her son, C. D. Johnson, in this city, on Thursday, May 9th, of heart trouble and the infirmities of old age.

The maiden name of the deceased was Laura Bivins, and she was born in Erie county, N. Y., near Buffalo in 1823, where she lived until 1848, coming in that year to St. Paul, where she was united in marriage to P. K. Johnson, who survives her, two years later. In 1852 her husband located the present city of Mankato, and the year following she went there with him, where they resided for over 40 years. About three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Johnson came to Brainerd and have since made their home with their children here. The deceased was a lady of estimable character, and her death, although not unexpected, will cause a pang of sorrow to her many friends in this city and in other portions of the state. Her children, Mrs. N. McFadden, C. D. Johnson, F. B. Johnson and Wm. Johnson, all reside in this city, and to them and her aged husband the sympathy of the community is extended.

The funeral services will be held to-morrow (Saturday) morning from the residence of C. D. Johnson on 5th street north, Rev. T. M. Edmands officiating.

J. B. Sargent, aged 73 years, died at the Lumberman's Hospital in this city on Monday, May 6th, of cancer of the liver.

The deceased was born in Ohio in January, 1822, and lived there until he was 16 years old, when he settled at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, and resided there and in that vicinity until thirteen years ago. He spent some time in Nebraska, but the latter part of his life in this state. He was a member of the Mt. Vernon Masonic lodge, and his remains were taken to that place by his son, Charles Sargent, on Tuesday afternoon, where they were interred under Masonic ceremonies on Thursday. The deceased was a gentleman highly respected by all who knew him. Mrs. Eliza Laughlin, of Lisbon, N. D., Mrs. E. Lynn, of State Center, Iowa, and Chas. Sargent, of Gilmore City, Iowa, his children, were with him during the last week of his illness.

Took His Foot Off.

On Monday evening as the Duluth passenger train was starting out from the depot west a tramp by the name of James E. Costain, attempted to swing under the sleeper, by means of the rods which run under the car, onto the brake beam. Being somewhat under the influence of liquor he missed his hold and fell onto the track between the rails, the wheels crushing his right foot so that amputation at the ankle was necessary. He was taken to the Lumbermen's Hospital, where the operation was performed.

Removed the Roof.

A Northern Pacific freight train which reached Duluth at 9 o'clock last night met with a peculiar mishap yesterday afternoon, says the News-Tribune. The train, which contained a number of wheat cars, had just left McGregor when it was struck by a windstorm. With the exception of one car the train was not affected, but the wind removed the entire top of one car loaded with wheat, and carried it a considerable distance. The accident was not noticed until the next station was reached.

Shoot at Clay Pigeons.

The Gun Club members held a special meeting on Tuesday evening at White's gun store on Laurel street, at which time Wednesday was decided upon as the regular shooting day, and the time was fixed at 9 a. m. It was decided to shoot at 15 singles, the same as last year. Outsiders who desire to shoot will be charged 50 cents for the privilege and 2 cents for every bird shot at. The electric pulls have been placed in position by Field Captain Veon, and the traps work to a charm. The grounds have been smoothed down and at each end a "danger" sign has been ordered placed in order to warn the public from coming up the bank when the shooting is in progress. The Club are arranging to hold a tournament in June.

Wednesday morning the first regular shoot of the season occurred, with the following score on 15 singles:

McClenahan	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 - 5
Courtney	1 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 - 9
Westfall	1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 - 11
Kirkwood	1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 - 10
Walker	1 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 - 7
Tache	0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 - 4
Ingersoll	0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 - 4
Mantor	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 0 - 13
Smith	1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 - 12
Casey	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 - 7
Keene	0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 - 8
Veon	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 - 14

A young man by the name of Hermann, son of Charles Hermann, met with an accident at the Brainerd Lumber Co.'s mill yesterday by which he lost one finger. The young man is employed in the shingle department and he accidently got his hand too near the knot saw.

Speaking of the Brainerd Lumber Company, the Lumberman says: The company is preparing to begin business as one of the leading business firms of the Northwest. Besides having an office at the point of manufacture in Brainerd, they will have offices here in Minneapolis where the bulk of the wholesale business will be done. Mr. C. F. Welles, the president of the company, will be in the Minneapolis office most of the time, and T. S. McLaughlin, who has until now been in the office of the Gull River Lumber company, will take the position of head bookkeeper at Minneapolis. At the Brainerd office E. B. McCullough, who for a number of years has been in the employ of Gardner, Batchelder & Welles, at Clinton, Iowa, will have charge. Mr. McCullough is now in Minneapolis, but will go to Brainerd the first of next week. For the present the company is occupying the office at 829 Lumber Exchange, but as soon as the Carpenter-Lamb company moves to the office at the mill, the Brainerd company will occupy the offices now occupied by them on the fifth floor.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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"Play Ball!"

The first game of base ball to be played this season by the Brainerd nine will take place on Sunday afternoon at the new grounds near the power house, at which time they will cross bats with the St. Paul Picketts, which latter team is said to be the best amateur nine in the Twin Cities. The new grounds are in first-class shape, the grand stand and fence having been completed this week. The arrangement of the grand stand is such that the spectators can view the game from the rear of the catcher, a wire netting having been so arranged as to stop the foul balls which otherwise would disturb those who occupy the grand stand seats. The price of admission to the grounds will be 25 cents, and 10 cents extra for grand stand seats, and 10 cents for children. As near as can be ascertained the Brainerd boys will line up on the diamond as follows:

Phyle, pitcher; Chas. McCarthy, catcher and left field; Burquin, short stop; Carroll, 1st base; Page, 2nd base; Hill, 3rd base; Paine, right field; Vossberg, left field and catcher; W. McCarthy, center field.

Game will be called at 3:30 sharp.

Make it Brainerd.

The Grand Rapids Magnet of this week again discusses the feasibility of improving the upper Mississippi river for navigable purposes. It quotes Hon. C. A. Towne as being in favor of the plan as also other prominent Minnesotians. The Magnet says: "It would be as well for the citizens of Grand Rapids to take the initiative in calling a public meeting and effect an organization, and through that body call a meeting of all interested, at either Brainerd, St. Cloud or Little Falls, sometime during the summer."—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

A May Wedding.

The wedding of Geo. O. Whitney to Miss Maud C. Pearce occurred on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierce, Rev. Geo. E. Rowe performing the ceremony. The bridesmaid was Miss Ricka M. Johnson, of Audubon, and the groomsman was Harry Whitney, brother of the groom. A wedding supper was served after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney went at once to housekeeping in their home in Third avenue, in East Brainerd, which had previously been furnished for their reception. The couple are well known to all our Brainerd readers, the groom being a son of A. E. Whitney, and one of the popular employes of the Electric Railway Co.

Cemetery Association Officers.

Evergreen Cemetery Association held a meeting on Tuesday evening at which time the secretary was instructed to notify the county officials that hereafter the same charge will be made for interments by the county as are charged to other people. Officers were elected as follows:

President—L. P. White, Sr.

Secretary and treasurer—Chas. M. Patek.

Actuary—Sidney Hockridge.

Trustees—James Hayes, S. W. Martin, H. Spalding, A. Bertram, D. Doran, Chas. Barnett.

Committee on Grounds—S. W. Martin, A. Bertram, H. Spalding.

Committee on finance—S. W. Martin, James Hayes, D. Doran.

Had $5 and Heart Disease.

Mrs. Tillie Gainer, a French woman of Brainerd, was in the city several times this week looking for her husband, who had disappeared and whom she feared some accident had befallen. A week ago last Monday they started for Brainerd from Minneapolis, the husband getting off the Northern Pacific here to go to Milaca to look after a land claim, and leaving his wife and children to go on to Brainerd. She says he had $5 in his pocket, and was troubled with heart disease. Not finding him here Mrs. Gainer went to Milaca. There she learned her husband had visited the land and taken a train Tuesday for St. Cloud. She inquired at all the hotels and the hospital in the city, but failed to find any trace of her missing man. She is 30 years old and has two children. The woman is very anxious as to Gainer's whereabouts and will thankfully receive any information regarding him.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

Garrison Items.

The rain of the past few days makes the farmers in this section feel good.

School opened in District No. 25 on May 6th, with Miss M. Miller as teacher.

Mrs. David Dykeman has been visiting friends in Brainerd for the past few days.

J. C. Hessell, one of Brainerd's machine men, was a visitor in this town a few days ago.

The fishing season has opened and our local fishermen will begin their harvest in earnest.

Some of the boys say there was an exciting horse race on the west shore of Jack Pine lake a few days ago between horses owned by C. W. Cofield and John Hill, the latter coming out winner.

The North Star Literary Society was the scene of quite an exciting time at its last meeting which should not occur again. People with ill feeling towards each other should take some other means and place of settling it than at a public meeting.

U. N. O.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

Regular Council Meeting.

The council met in regular session on Monday evening with a full board present.

The minutes of the previous meet were read and the reports of the clerk, chief of police, and street commissioner for the month of April were read and accepted. The city treasurer's report from Nov. 13, 1894, to May 1, 1895, was read and referred to the finance committee.

The matter of collecting delinquent electric light rentals was left in the hands of the clerk until next regular meeting.

Bills were allowed as follows:

Pay roll city employes	$702 46
Street pay roll	210 99
Electric light pay roll	247 00
Tribune, publishing	13 80
H. M. Phillips, draying, etc	7 83
Jas. New, plumbing	2 46
Greer & Paine, repair work	5 20
Larson & Walters, coal	4 25
Wm. Williamson, work	5 00
J. J. Howe & Co., lumber	9 57
Slipp Bros., hardware	53 87
Lyman Arms, surveying	16 00
City Hotel, boarding prisoners	44 00
Jos. Bacon, work	15 26
Geo. Creamer, 58 cords wood	28 40
Con. O'Brien, lumber	12 71
Elec. Appliance Co	60 40
Elec. Eng. Co	18 53
Stanley Elec. Mfg. Co	147 00
Wm. Gergen, lumber	44 78

Bill of Oscar Wicks' of $150 for trees, was disallowed until damage done had been repaired.

Bill of T. McMaster, $50 for supplies, was laid on the table for two weeks.

Bill of N. E. Paine, $4.60, was referred to superintendent of electric lights.

The matter of examining new hose was left in the hands of the chief of fire department.

A communication from Stevens O'Brien, Cole & Albrecht, ordering the city to remove water wheel and other fixtures from the dam, was read and laid on the table.

A motion was made and carried to place a telephone in the central hose house when the system is put in.

An invitation from Pap Thomas Post to participate in the Memorial Day parade was accepted.

Wm. Skinner and Ben Lovely were granted dray licenses, and the dray license of Wm. Edwards was transferred to Joseph Atkinson.

H. Moberg & Peterson were granted liquor license, their bond being approved.

Jerome Keheler was granted a permit to erect one-story brick veneered building in the rear of Lots 7 and 8, Block 47.

The city clerk was instructed to purchase a new set of signal flags for weather service.

A motion was made and carried to appropriate $50 for Pap Thomas Post to assist in Memorial Day exercises.

The resignation of E. J. Stropp, as alderman from the First ward, was accepted, and the council adjourned.

On Friday evening, May 24th, Liberty Hose Co. No. 3, will give a grand ball at Gardner Hall, and the occasion will be a very pleasant one.

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If you want a good whip of any kind, go to Erb's harness shop on 5th street. A new stock just received.

If you want to sell city property list it with J. R. Smith.

Touch up and varnish your wagons for spring trade, at Congdon's. It will save you money.

Buy your meats at C. A. Walker & Co.'s, the finest in the city.

Consult your own interests and demonstrate your wisdom by patronizing the Dispatch for job work and advertising. Satisfaction guaranteed.

D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a new line of baby carriages.

If you want the finest beef in the city C. A. Walker & Co. has it—fresh killed native beef.

The office of J. R. Smith is the headquarters for reliable fire insurance. Room 2, Sleeper Block.

Canned salmon, sardines, etc., nice and fresh, just received at E. C. Bane & Co's.

The finest cuts of meat at all times can be obtained at the City Meat Market, Sixth street.

16 ounces to the pound *always* at M. Hagberg's.

A new stock of whips just received at W. H. Erb's harness shop on Fifth street.

Stove furnishings at the lowest prices at C. B. White's, on Laurel street, between 6th and 7th.

Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply at residence of Dr. Hemstead, 8th street, opposite opera house.

A splendid line of tinware, granite ware and copper ware has just been received by C. B. White. Prices the lowest.

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Children's Summer Lawn Hats 12c., 20c., 25c., 29c. and 39c.

Ladies' 26 inch Gloria Sun Umbrellas, natural handles, 69c., 75c., $1 and upwards.

Challies—3c., 4c., 5c., 6c., 10c. and 12½c. per yard.

Light and Medium Summer Wash Novelties, a splendid lot, your choice of goods worth 12½c., 18c. and 20c., at the one price of 10c. per yard.

Linen Towels 15c. each, two for 25c. Cash Values.

Cashmeres and Wool Henriettas, 21c., 25c., 39c., 58c., 66c., 70c. and 90c. per yard. Cash Values Only.

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Bring your own feet in and we will give you good values in well made shoes.

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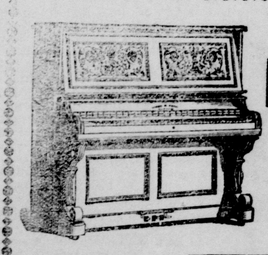
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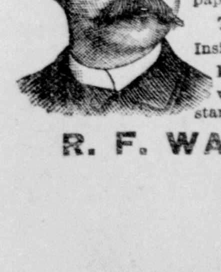
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[First publication April 19th.]

Mortgage Forcelosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Charles B. Clouse, and his wife, Martha A. Clouse, mortgagors, to George W. Thayer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of October, 1892, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1892, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book "E" of Mortgages, on Page 409, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter, and Lots Seven and Eight, (sometimes described as the North half of the Southeast quarter) in Section Twenty-two, Township Forty-three, Range Thirty-two, in Crow Wing County, and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Crow Wing County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Brainerd, in said County, and State, on the 4th day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Twelve Dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 18th, A. D. 1895.

GEORGE W. THAYER,
Mortgagee.

LINDBERGH, BLANCHARD & LINDBERGH,
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Little Falls, Minnesota.

Notice.

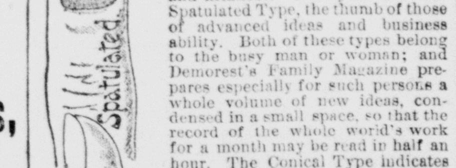
U. S. LAND OFFICE,
ST. CLOUD, MINN., April 30, 1895.

Complaint having been entered at this Office by Amanda Gates against Charles Ahlgrim for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 16812, dated June 13th, 1894, upon Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Section 28, Township 136, Range 28, in Crow Wing County, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Sam. H. Parker, clerk of the district court, at Brainerd, Minn., on the 21st day of June, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will take place on June 28th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when the testimony taken as above ordered, will be examined and a decision rendered thereupon.

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BLIXT the real murderer of Catharine Ging gets a life sentence while Hayward hangs. The necks of both should stretch hemp.

IT should be the business of every citizen of Brainerd to see that every person in Crow Wing county is counted when the census is taken next month.

THE assignment of N. P. Clark, the St. Cloud lumberman, who was supposed to be one of the wealthiest men in Minnesota, is much to be regretted.

IF the American silver dollar or notes issued on it are not redeemable in gold, will the Journal explain why it is worth twice as much as a Mexican dollar which contains more pure silver?

THE Minneapolis Journal appears to have some secret desire to belittle the state game and fish commission and charges are made by that paper that someone not entitled to it got $1200 for allowing illegal fishing at the lake of the woods. This is exactly in line with the policy of that paper towards the commission for some months past. Sensational reports were published to the effect that big money was being made by the executive agent in catching and selling moose to eastern parties, but the investigation proved that the statement was false and malicious and the publication of the report was caused by parties who had grievances against the men who were endeavoring to enforce the game laws. The members of the commission should take active steps in the matter of requiring the Minneapolis Journal to divulge the name of the party who is claimed to have received this bribe or admit the report is unfounded. Executive Agent Fullerton, recently appointed, has made some statements according to Duluth telegrams, that he should be compelled to prove or step out and down and make room for some other man who does not believe in giving the men who are violating the game laws a clue to his actions by publishing in advance who his wardens are, and just what they are doing and intend to do. There is no doubt but that the position is a hard one to fill to the satisfaction of all, but there is a way of conducting the office so that good results will follow. Since the commission was formed, the protection given to the game and fish has resulted in an increase in a marked degree all over the state where in former years there was wholesale slaughter in every section where there was game to kill or fish to catch. It may be that the Minneapolis Journal can bring about the abolition of the game commission, but if such is the csae certainly better proof of the uselessness of the commission will have to be produced than the rot it has been publishing during the past four months.

THE Journal says that our silver dollars are not redeemable in gold, but we must insist the law says differently. In the first place these dollars containing but 47 cents worth of silver are by law made receivable for all debts due the government equally with the gold dollar, which contains 100 cents. This makes the purchasing power of the silver dollar equal to the gold dollar notwithstanding the difference in their intrinsic value, and virtually is a redemption in gold, because they are made by law equal in paying power with a gold dollar. Besides, Sec. 2, Chap. 708, Revised Statutes says: "That upon the demand of the holder of any of the treasury notes (notes issued on silver in the treasury) herein provided for, the secretary of the treasury shall redeem such notes in gold or silver coin at his discretion, *it being the established policy of the United State to maintain the two metals on a parity with each other.*" Thus it will be seen that the law directly provides for a redemption of a portion of our silver circulation in gold. True, the law says that these notes may be redeemed in gold or silver at the discretion of the secretary, but the succeeding clause "it being the established policy of the United States to maintain the two metals on a parity" take that discretion from him for the reason that if they were redeemed in silver the parity of the metals would not be maintained. This is not simply an assertion of ours, but the view of President Cleveland himself, who says in his message to congress in August of 1893: "This declaration so controls the action of the secretary of the treasury as to prevent his exercising the discretion nominally vested in him, if by such action the parity between gold and silver may be disturbed. Manifestly a refusal by the secretary to pay these treasury notes in gold, if demanded, would necessarily result in their discredit and depreciation as obligations payable only in silver, and would destroy the parity between the two metals by establishing a discrimination in favor of gold."

He further says:

"The policy necessarily adopted of paying these notes in gold has not spared the gold reserve of $100,000,000 long ago set aside by the government for the redemption of other notes, for this fund has already been subjected to the payment of new obligations amounting to $150,000,000 on account of silver."

Payment of $150,000,000 in gold on account of silver, and yet the Journal says silver is not redeemable in gold. We regret we are compelled to place the opinions and declarations of such poor authority as President Cleveland against the superior intelligence and knowledge of the Journal editor, but justice compels us to do it, and we fancy that Mr. Cleveland's statements will probably have as much weight as those of the Journal.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners, Meeting Held May 7th, 1895.

Proceeding board Crow Wing county commissioners, meeting held May 7th, 1895.

All members present but Commissioner Bubar.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Proposition to pay 50 per cent of back taxes on Lots 7 to 12 inclusive, Block 46, was accepted.

Valuation of Lot 9, Block 47, was reduced $700 for 1893, to equalize it with 1892 valuation.

Mortgage of $500 assessed to Dan Caffrey was abated.

J. Brooks was allowed $5.00 for temporary aid, one month only.

Mrs. Wm. Durham's allowance was reduced to $5 per month.

Taxes on Lots 1 to 6, Block 128, were reduced to $58.38 for 1893.

The following bills were allowed:

Brainerd Dispatch, printing, etc	$23 40
A. Mahlum, making list of mortgages	37 00
John T. Frater, expressage and postage	18 (4
I. T. Dean, viewing remains of 2 persons	10 00
Losey & Dean, burying three persons	38 50
H. Spalding, fees state ceses	166 30
Lyman Arms, surveying roads	20 00
Geo. Merriott, surveying roads	8 00
H. Spalding, boarding prisoners	83 22
T. McMaster, goods poor	23 29
T. McMaster, goods court house	13 70
S. H. Parker, fees clerk of court March term	217 17
Herman Fleisher, witness fees justice court	3 35

Board adjourned until 2 p. m.

Lots 16, 17 and 18, Block 129, were reduced $150.

Application of Geo. Sisler and A. Reinthal for liquor licenses, were laid over until next meeting.

The following appropriations were made from road and bridge fund to repair roads, to-wit:

$50 to repair Cunningham road in 45-30.

$50 to repair Bay Lake road near Gabiou's.

$50 to repair corduroy on south Mille Lacs road.

$50 to repair Mud Lake and Brainerd road, money to be expended by I. N. Farrell.

$35 south Bay Lake road, money to be expended by G. A. Hunt.

$75 Brainerd and Deerwood road, in Town 46, R. 29, Commissioner Patterson to expend same.

Proposition of Mrs. C. Sundine to pay 50 per cent of back taxes on Lots 19 to 24, Block 77, was accepted.

Valuations of N. E. ¼ and N. W. ¼, of Section 14, Town 45, R. 29, was reduced $200 each.

An appropriation of $200 was made from poor fund in favor of Ed. Arnstedt, who was disabled for life during forest fires, to help him pay his physician.

The following bills were allowed:

Adam Schultz, witness fees justice court	$2 96
Wilhelmina Schultz, witness fees justice court	2 96
John L. Berg, goods for poor	3 00
John Stichen, witness fees justice court	1 50
Campbell & Smith, goods court house	1 88
H. K. Lenhart, justice of the peace, Daggett Brook	40 25
Slipp Bros., goods poor farm	3 95
A Angel, goods poor farm	5 65
Mahlum & Valentine, goods poor	5 00
G. S. McCulloch, overseer poor farm	50 00
G. S. McCulloch, money advanced as overseer	3 75
Knute Olson, work at farm	22 00
Koop Bros., goods poor	13 00
M. Hagberg, goods farm	37 59
do goods poor	7 00
J. L. Camp, medical service poor	18 00
J. L. Camp, medical services poor	26 00
J. L. Camp, medical service poor	16 00
J. L. Camp, board and care of Stephen Kiley	11 70
J. L. Camp, board and care of Nels Johnson	14 44
J. L. Camp, board and care Ed Vincent	35 10
H. Patterson, taking sick person to Brainerd	3 75
H. Patterson, viewing roads	12 00
G. M. Young, surveying county roads	3 00
Robert Maghan, surveying county roads	6 00
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	3 10
Brown, Treacy & Co., books and stationery	4 50
Brown, Treacy & Co., books and stationery	25
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	10 50
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	6 75
Pioneer Press Co., books and stationery	54 20
City of Brainerd, electric lights months of April and May	15 54
Brainerd Water Co., water rent quarter ending July '95	25 00
Joel Smith, attending three meetings	10 20
John Peterson, surveying county road	6 00
Chris Rushmeyer, planks for culverts	25 00
M. McFadden, premium insurance on ware house at farm	16 80
H. K. Lenhart, justice of the peace, jury trial at Daggett Brook	20 02
Chas. Otto, cinders court house	10 50
H. Harrison, fighting forest fires	5 00
M. K. Swartz, goods court house	75
M. K. Swartz, drugs poor	12 10

An allowance of $5.00 per month was made in favor of Ed Arnstedt until further orders.

Taxes on part lot 1, section 34, town 45 range 31 were reduced to $4.39 for 1893.

Petition of citizens of town 135-27 to be detached from school district No. 35 was granted.

Petition of citizens of town 43 range 30 to organize a school district to be composed of sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18 and nw¼ of 10, was received and hearing on same set for June 4th.

Report of Supt. of schools was accepted and placed on file.

An appropriation of $35 was made from road and bridge fund to ditch on Section 29, 44-31.

An abatement of $215 on Lots 13, 14 and 15, Block 4, 2nd addition, was granted.

South 150 feet of N. W. ¼, of Block 237, was reduced to $150 for 1894.

Bond of M. Hagberg in the sum of $2,400, as grass seed agent, was accepted, and money ordered paid over to him.

Report of grand jury was accepted and placed on file.

Acreage of Lots 1 and 2, and part S. W. ¼ N. W. ¼, of Section 19, Town 45-30, was ordered corrected according to survey.

West 7 acres of south 20 acres of N. W. ¼ N. E. ¼, Section 19, Town 45, R. 30, was cut down to 6½ acres.

The following bills were allowed:

W. W. Craig, goods furnished poor	$10 00
Joel Smith, attending to grass seed	12 00
H. Patterson, attending to grass seed	14 30
A. P. Farrar, attending to grass seed	9 00
Henry Mahle, attending to grass seed	6 00
Oscar Wicks, trees planted around court house	28 00

Robert Magnan was appointed road overseer of E. ½ of T. 45, R. 28.

Petition of citizens of Towns 44-29 and 44-30, to open a road between Sections 1 to 6, to connect Bay Lake with Mille Lacs road, was granted, and survey ordered.

Board adjourned until first Tuesday in June.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Cass County Commissioners Proceedings Meeting Held Monday, May 6th.

All members present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

Petition of citizens of town 133-29 and 133-30 to open a road near Hole-in-the-Day Lake was favorably received and Commissioner's Hardy and Bryant appointed to view the same.

Petition of citizens of town 134-30 and 135-30 was favorably received and Commissioners Ellis and Hardy appointed to view same.

Petitions of citizens of town 134-31, were granted.

The following bills were allowed:

Neal Trolson, work on roads	$42 00
A. J. Warner, work on roads	80 75
Geo. F. Mathews, work on roads	64 35
W. E. Greene, work on roads	1 50
J. J. Ellis, viewing roads and meetings	49 70
W. W. Bryant, viewing roads and meetings	40 10
G. L. Hardy, viewing roads and meetings	28 50

Motion made and carried that a committee of the whole view and act on all outstanding road petitions.

Board adjourned until the first Monday in June.

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How's This for a Record.

Sherwood's Cough Syrup has been manufactured and sold in Brainerd for over 20 years on a positive guarantee and not a bottle has been returned.

Liquor Law Changes.

Several liquor laws were passed by the legislature which are important in their nature, and which are heralded with much favor by the temperance people, among the most important being the following, according to the News:

One law prohibits saloons from selling, giving away or disposing of liquor in any manner to children. This law is to stop the practice, so prevalent in the cities, of sending children to saloons after buckets and pitchers of beer.

Another law prohibits the sale of liquor on the state fair grounds; another prohibits county commissioners or city councils from granting license to any person to open a saloon within 300 feet of any school house.

One of the most important measures is the one which makes it unlawful to dispose of liquors in any quantity whatever, in towns that have voted "no license."

S. F. No. 70, authorizes villages to use all or part of the license money, for building school houses, or for any school purpose, or for repairing roads or bridges leading into the village.

Under the provision of S. F. No. 346, a relative, friend or guardian may make complaint against an inebriate before the judge of probate, and the judge may commit the person to a special department of the Rochester asylum for treatment.

H. F. No. 185, makes it possible for any person to take the gold cure. Upon proper application, the victim being willing, the probate judge may order him sent to a gold cure institute, and the county advances the money. The victim is to repay the county, but has five years to do so, giving his note without interest.

The World's Drinks.

Beer was the universal drink of the English until the introduction of tea and coffee about 1650. Siberians prepare an intoxicating beverage from mushrooms. In Sweden an apetizer is made from common fennel. The word brandy is from the Dutch "Brandwijn"–burnt wine. Maraschine is distilled from cherries, the fruit and seeds being crushed together. Absinthe is an alcoholate composed of anise, coriander and fonnel, flavored with wormwood and colored with indigo and sulphate of copper. Curacoa is made by digesting orange peel in sweetened spirits and flavoring with cinnamon, cloves or mace. Kischenwasser is distilled from cherries. Vermuth is composed of white wine, angelica, absinthe, and aromatic herbs. Kimmel is brandy sweetened and flavored with coriander and caraway seeds. Tea has been grown and used in the East for ages, from India to Japan. Coffee was introduced into Persia in 875, and into Europe in 1615. Cocoa was sent to Europe from Mexico by the Spaniards in 1520. Eating is more important than drinking, and especially on a journey. When traveling, you should take the Burlington, whose dining cars offer all the delicacies of the season, exquisitely prepared, and are operated on the cafe plan, so that the patron pays only for his own selection. Many other advantages and attractions of the Burlington Route can be learned by addressing W. J. C. Kenyon, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul. Minn.

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MINNESOEA'S FUTURE GREATNESS.

Several Thousand Acres to be Made into a Summer Resort at Hubert Lake.

Sunday's Minneapolis Tribune says: A day or two since the papers announced that a party of St. Paul gentlemen had gone up Bimidji lake in Beltrami county for the purpose of locating a town site. The intimation was that the Brainerd & Northern road would probably reached that point within a short time. A gentleman who is familiar with the affairs of this road, but who does not wish to be named, says: "I do not think—in fact, I have reason to know—that the Brainerd & Northern will not be built to Bimidji lake this year. It is true that the road is now being extended in a northwesterly direction from Lothrop, its present terminus. As a preliminary to this extension, a bridge 2,000 feet long is now being built across an arm of Leech lake just beyond Lothrop. My information is to the effect that the extension of the main line this year will not exceed eight miles in length. At a distance beyond the bridge a branch will be constructed in a southwesterly direction towards Park Rapids. The object of this extension, no doubt, is to reach a lake in which T. B. Walker has several million feet of logs. These logs were up in three years ago, it is said, under a promise from J. J. Hill that he would build a road there, when it was the intention to erect a saw mill at that point. Mr. Hill graded the line, but changed his mind and did not lay the track. Mr. Walker now finds if necessary to do something to save his logs, hence this extension. This, I have reason to think, is the real situation.

"I have been up in that region recently. It is capable of great development. The Tribune has recently pointed out the situation with great clearness. The northern part of the state is soon to experience a boom. The present draw back is in the fact that so much land is owned there by so few parties. This, in a great measure, pine land, and the owners, who are Minneapolis men, are not willing to sell it until they have cut the timber. They have, however, large tracts which have already been cut over, and other tracts which they never will cut. This land, it seems to me, they should place on the market, in order to hasten the development of the country. It would vastly increase the value of what they have left.

"At the point on Leech Lake beyond Lothrop, where the branch will be started towards Park Rapids, there is a fine townsite. I believe it is owned by T. B. Walker. I think it is quite certain that there will be a good town there, and it may possibly be made the county seat of Cass county.

"What Minneapolis wants with regard to this country is the extension of the Great Northern from Milaca to Brainerd. I regard that as being the greatest move which this city could make in the way of railroad connections. It would give us at once direct connections with the upper country, and tend to divert business here which is in great danger of going to Duluth. It needs only a glance at the map to establish the conviction in any man's mind that this is true. When the Brainerd & Northern was organized, this was the intention, but the road fell into the possession of pine land owners, who are at present satisfied to let this connection remain in abeyance. I have no doubt that the road will be ultimately absorbed by the Great Northern. In that case it is probable that the connection may be made.

"As to fishing, the lakes on the line of the Brainerd & Northern surpass anything I ever saw. They are full of white fish, black bass, and other varieties. Leech Lake is particularly so. A gentleman from Minneapolis by the name of F. Thorpe, has recently purchased several thousand acres of land at Hubert Lake, just north of Brainerd. He is planning to build a summer resort there, with beautiful drives and parks. It is said that he has the necessary means with which to carry out his plans."

Before buying a bicycle be sure and call at D. M. Clark & Co's.

Removal Of Ticket Office Of The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad. "Nickle Plate Road."

On May 1st the Chicago City Ticket Office of the New York Chicago & St. Louis R. R., (Nickel Plate Road) will be moved to 111 Adams Street, opposite the Post Office.

J. Y. CALAHAN,
General Agent.

Liquor License.

To the Honorable Board of Crow Wing County Commissioners.

GENTLEMEN: I hereby make application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors at the Station of Lothrop, in the County of Cass, for one year.

GEORGE B. SISLER.

Hearing on above will be had at the County Auditor's office on Tuesday, May 7th, 1895.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor.

Liquor License.

To the Board of County Commissioners, Crow Wing County.

GENTLEMEN: I hereby apply for a license to sell intoxicating liquors at Backus Station, in Cass county, for the period of one year.

A. REINTHAL.

Hearing on above will be had at County Auditor's office on Tuesday, May 7th, 1895.

LOUIS TACHE,
Co. Auditor,
Crow Wing County.

Legal Notices.

First publication April 12th.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss

In Probate Court, Special Term, April 8th, 1895.

In the Matter of the Estate of Johann Theviot, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of H. J. Spencer, Executor, of the estate of said Johann Theviot, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has tendered his resignation of said trust, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the making of a final order accepting such resignation.

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard, by this Court, on Monday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office in the County Court House, in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minn., the 8th day of April, A. D. 1895.

[Seal.] By the Court:
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

[First Publication April 5th.]

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. }

In Probate Court, General Term, April 1st, 1895.

In the matter of the estate of Alfred Bogren, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Samuel E. Mooers, of Ft. Ripley, Minnesota, representing, among other things, that Alfred Bogren, late of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1895, at Crow Wing County, Minnesota, died intestate, and being a resident of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is one of the creditors of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to him granted.

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before this Court on Monday, the 29th day of April, A. D. 1895, at 11 o'clock a. m., at Brainerd, in said County.

Ordered further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased, and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895.

{SEAL.} By the Court,
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

C. E. CHIPERFIELD,
Attorney for Petitioner.

(First publication April 5th.)

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. }

In Probate Court, General Term, April 1st, 1895.

In the matter of the estate of Magly Johnson, Deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased being this day granted unto Henry Mahle, of said County,

It is ordered, That all claims and demands of all persons against said estate be presented to this Court, for examination and allowance, at the Probate Office in County Court House, on the following days, viz:

Commencing on Monday, April 8th, 1895, and for six months thereafter on the first Monday in each month.

It is further ordered, That six months from the date hereof be allowed to creditors to present their claims against said estate, at the expiration of which time all claims not presented to said Court, or not proven to its satisfaction, shall be forever barred, unless for cause shown, further time be allowed.

Ordered further, That notice of the time and place of the hearing and examination of said claims and demands shall be given by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to the day appointed for such examination, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said County.

Dated at Brainerd, Minnesota, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1895.

{SEAL.} By the Court,
MILTON McFADDEN,
Judge of Probate.

(First publication May 3.)

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Crow Wing. } ss

To J. Lamont:

Take notice that the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the county of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, to-wit: The SE¼ of section 30, town 44, range 30, was on the 12th day of October, A. D., 1893, sold for the sum of Sixty-six dollars and seventy-one cents, pursuant to a real estate tax judgment entered in the district court in the said county of Crow Wing on the eleventh day of September, A. D. 1893, in proceedings to enforce payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate prior to the years 1879 and 1889, pursuant to Chapter 150 of the General Laws of 1893, in the said county of Crow Wing. That the amount required to redeem such lands from such sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the said sum of one hundred thirty-three dollars and forty-one cents, with interest thereon at the rate of one per cent per month from said 12th day of October, 1893, to the time of such redemption, and the time within which said land can be redeemed from said sale will expire sixty days after service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in manner prescribed by section 37 of Chapter 6, General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1877, and amendments thereto.

Dated at Brainerd this 29th day of April, A. D. 1895.

[SEAL.] LOUIS TACHE,
Auditor Crow Wing County, Minn.

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Notice.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
ST. CLOUD, MINN., April 30, 1895.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Willshire Daugherty against John L. Henton for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 14128, dated March 9th, 1888, upon the E½ NE¼ and E½ SE¼ section 30, township 43, range 30, in Crow Wing County, Minn., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before Sam. H. Parker, clerk of the district court at Brainerd, Minn., on the 22nd day of June, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

Further notice is hereby given that a hearing will take place on June 28, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when the testimony taken as above ordered, will be examined and a decision rendered thereupon.

THEO. BRUENER, Register.

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BRAINERD, - - - MINN.

One of the leading features of the foreign policy of England is a disposition to bulldoze little nations and arbitrate with big ones.

The inference is that the Carson City mint will soon be dismantled and its machinery shipped to Denver for use in the new coinage mint to be established there.

Lightning changes in opinion and methods of government are characteristic of the German Emperor. His new nickname, "William the Sudden," is eminently appropriate.

Russia knows what it is to be balked in her purpose to seize what she can lay hands on belonging to an enemy. Japan's present experience is not new among nations.

Japan has demonstrated that she is quite able to take care of herself in any controversy that may arise with a nation seeking to take away any of the advantages of her triumph over China.

The 1878-79 busines rally is being repeated in 1895. Trade had dropped farther then than it did in the recent depression; consequently the recovery will be quicker now than it was at that time.

England's conduct in the Nicaraguan matter is arrogant and cowardly, but it is characteristic. It is the course she has always taken in dealing with small nations. She is a swaggerer and a bully except when the other party is a country of her own size.

As a $75,000 claim led England to seize one of Nicaragua's ports, what will her $2,000,000 or $3,000,000 claim against Honduras prompt her to do? The outlook for the last-named country is nearly as bad as that was for the Asiatic tribes which aroused the cupidity of Genghis Khan.

The new repeating rifles carrying two miles or more are bad for revolutions who usually have to fight with all sorts of weapons and ammunition. The advantage in modern arms possessed by the Spanish troops in Cuba will almost give them immunity from harm in a pitched battle.

The changes of policy on the part of Emperor William of Germany are so sudden and erratic as to suggest anew the query if the young man is not a trifle "off" in the upper story. His tacit alliance with Russia and France against Japan does not meet with the approval of the German nation.

The territory Great Britain demands from Venezuela embraces 60,000 square miles more than was claimed in 1840. This is an area larger than that of Illinois. As Venezuela has not sold any of the land nor given it away, the British title to it should be clearly explained for the benefit of other American republics.

Perhaps the scheme for the union of the Central American nations may be helped by the present complications of one of them. If Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, San Salvador and Nicaragua were under one government, the last-named country would not be quite so defenseless against England as she is now.

The French are not unanimous in regard to colonizing Madagascar. French colonies are expensive luxuries, the conquest of Tonquin having cost $106,000,000, with an annual deficit in addition. An appropriation of $15,000,000 for the Madagascar army is only one of the preliminary items of expense in that quarter.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has sued the city of Chicago for the recovery of damages in the destruction and injury of its property during the strike of last July. The suit was brought for $16,010, the actual damages sustained by the loss and injury to property and $30,000 exemplary damages, the total demand being $46,010.

"Carmen" is 20 years old. The anniversary was observed at the Paris Opera Comique by the 627th performance of the opera. Among the singers was M. Barnolt, the sole survivor of the original cast. He has taken the part of Remondado, the comic bandit, at every performance. Mme. Bizet, with M. Meilhac and Halevy, the authors of the libretto, presented him a gold watch.

The sloop Vigilant has arrived at New York. She made the run across the Atlantic in eighteen days. It will be remembered that last spring she crossed the ocean in fourteen days and eight hours. These remarkable voyages of the fast American centerboarder completely refute the insinuations of British yachtsmen that center board yachts are not safe boats for long distance cruising.

A British naval officer says in the course of a paper recently published that our warships do not compare unfavorably with those built in Europe. Americans fancy that they proved this as long ago as 1812-14, and that we had at that time something better than the ships in the sailors who manned them. They were few in number, but they towed many a dismantled British fighter into port.

Spanish soldiers dislike service in Cuba because few of them according to past experience, can hope to see their native country again. European troops sent to America have not been lucky as a rule. King George invested over $25,000,000 in hiring 29,165 Hessians to help subdue the American colonies, and 11,843 of these mercenaries perished before the end of the war.

Mars is far more distant from the sun than the earth is, but if the latest observations of astronomers are right, our neighboring planet suffers from decidedly hot summers. The polar snow caps on Mars melted entirely last year, which adds strength to the theory that the solar ray is electrical and not heat in itself, though capable of exciting it. The Martians apparently have no trouble in reaching the poles on their globe, and they must form pleasant resorts during the heated ... The great new telescopes to be ... on Mars are likely to furnish ... sting items.

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AROUND THE GLOBE

DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

All Important Occurrences of the Past Week, Boiled Down and Arranged for Rapid Reading, From Home and Abroad.

From the Nation's Capital.

The United States treasury deficit for the current year is expected to reach $45,000,000.

Maj.-Gen. Ruger has been transferred from Chicago to Washington for special duty with the secretary of war.

The interior department is taking steps to have the numerous abandoned military reservations scattered over the country opened for settlement.

Librarian Spofford of Washington says that the old "Trilby" brought forward in the Denver infringement suit was unlike Du Maurier's work in all save the name.

Medical Inspector Edward Kerenner of the navy is to be tried by courtmartial at New York for perjury. This is the first time in the memory of the department when a naval officer has been charged with false swearing.

Advices received at the Venezuelan legation at Washington state that a popular subscription has been opened at Caracas for the statue of President Monroe, which is to commemorate the Monroe doctrine. Manuel Carrion opens the subscription with 100 bolivars, a coin equivalent to a franc.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. T. J. Russell of Cleveland, O., mother of Ella Russell, the singer, died in London.

John Lincoln, a cousin of the martyred President, is in a poorhouse at Reading, Pa.

W. B. Mitchell, one of the oldest residents and largest landowners of Stephenson county, Ill., is dead.

Judge Charles E. Walker, leading attorney of Jefferson county, Ind., died of la grippe at the age of 78.

Maj. Moses P. Handy has accepted an editorial position on the Chicago Times-Herald.

Representative Hitt is slightly better, but there is little hope for his recovery.

Ex-Senator W. W. Berry died at his home in Vincennes, Ind., aged 72 years. He was president of the Knox County Agricultural association.

Miss Frances Gale, granddaughter of Bishop Gen. Leonidas Polk, was married to Dr. F. W. Ring of New York at Nashville, Tenn.

The condition of Mrs. Della Parnell, who was asaulted at Bordentown, N. J., is somewhat improved and there are hopes for her recovery.

The will of Mrs. Mary E. Richmond of Batavia, N. Y., widow of Dean Richmond the famous railroad and steamboat man, leaves an estate of $15,000,000 to be divided among her children.

J. Jay Watson, of Brooklyn is the owner of a violin which it is claimed was formerly used by Ole Bull. The violin is said to have been made by the Amati Bros. the same year Shakespeare died.

Mrs. Dorcas Antle, widow of Dr. Francis Antle, the first mayor of Petersburg, Ill., was buried at Petersburg. Mrs. Antle died in California from the effect of poison taken by mistake. She was 62 years of age.

J. W. Ridgeway, 90 years old and a prominent resident of Wabash, Ind., is dead. He was a director in the early organization of the Pan-Handle and Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan railways.

Rev. Albert Mann, Ph. D., has been elected to fill the chair of biology at the Ohio Wesleyan university of Delaware. Mr. Mann graduated in the classical course of Wesleyon university, Middletown, Conn., in 1879.

Unfortunate Events.

Samuel Bryan, while cleaning a gun, accidentally shot and killed Miss Dora Ryder, aged 19, at Greentown, O.

Miss Lizzie Gruber was fatally injured at Jeffersonville, Ind., by being thrown from a carriage.

The worst hail and electrical storm in years swept over Denver. All the arc lights in the city were burned out.

The Chelsea ferryboat crashed into Hanover slip at Boston and forty passengers got a severe shaking up. Two persons were seriously injured.

The excursion steamer Kittie Stockdale lost her rudder near Pittsburg. There were 622 passengers and great excitement prevailed for a time.

Henry Stephenson fell into a mining shaft 140 feet deep at Stott City, Mo. He was drowned, but there was not a bruise on his body.

John Herron formerly an Indianapolis (Ind.) real estate dealer, was fatally burned in a lodging house at Los Angeles, Cal. His neice was also severely burned.

Fire got such headway in the wholesale grocery of J. H. Mohlman & Co., New York, that the walls caved in before an alarm was given. The loss is $75,000.

Emil Furrer, a farmer, and Jacob Katt of New Milford, Conn., were burned to death in a barn near that town. The fire was of incendiary origin. The two victims were sleeping in the barn.

In a runaway Fayette S. Johnson, principal of the schools of Spring Valley, Ill., received a compound fracture of the thigh bone, besides serious internal injuries. He lies in a precarious condition. Joseph Hercer was severely injured.

The state hospital for insane at Watkins, N. Y. was partly burned. The loss was small, but the excitement among the inmates was intense while the fire raged.

Julia McCabe, a passenger on the east bound Baltimore & Ohio express, committed suicide by jumping from the train near Tiffin, O., and striking on her head.

Criminal Doings.

Dr. James Stathers, a bone doctor, was arrested at Monmouth, Ill., for practicing medicine without a license.

Despondency caused Nelson Farney, aged 24, to shoot and kill himself in Concord township Ia.

Nightwatchman Frank Axley was murdered at Cairo, Ill. Two negroes have been arrested on suspicion.

At Kansas City Charles Carey quarreled with "Pudding" Clune over a young lady and Clune was killed.

Defaulting County Collector George Hall of St. Joseph Mo., is thought to be in Los Angeles, Cal. A reward of $200 is offered.

L. R. Jerome, a near relative of the late Larry Jerome and Lady Churchill of England, is under arrest at Prescott, Ariz., for stealing a watch.

Charles Carey shot and instantly killed James Cune, alias "Pudding" Clune in Kansas City, Kansas.

A. A. Edgerton was fined $1,500 in Council Bluffs, Ia., for false swearing in support of his mother's pension claim.

Ambrose Edwards was arrested at Jeffersonville, Ind., charged with beating his wife so severely that she may die.

Henry Marshall of Warm Springs Creek, Mont., shot and killed Jesse Davis. The trouble was over an irrigation ditch.

George Oyler was arrested at Logansport, Ind., charged with embezzling $3,091 from J. E. Snell & Co., for whom he worked.

In a raid on "moonshiners" near Huntington, W. V., Lee Ward was killed and 100 persons, including 20 women, were arrested.

Postmaster Gooding shot and killed a Choctaw at Grant I. T. The Choctaw had tried to kill a negro and then Gooding when the latter interfered.

The body of Julia Curtis aged 23, who had gone into the woods near Traverse City, Mich., to search for arbutus, was found in a swamp. It is thought she met with foul play.

William Wellsworth the famous breeder of Poland China hogs, killed George Filweber a hired man, and then committed suicide at Woodstock, Ill.

Ernest A. Tracey, a contractor of St. Joseph, Mich., is dying from an assault by an unknown man. He was knocked down on the street and his skull crushed.

James Young janitor at the Brazil Ind., courthouse shot and killed his wife at Hoosierville. Then he returned to the courthouse and committed suicide.

Pinkerton men at Chicago have arrested Tom Metzel on a charge of having got $6,000 from the National bank of Butte, Mont., by means of a forged check.

Edward Tucker a merchant at Port Tampa, Fla., was taken from his home and unmercifully whipped by female whitecaps. Tucker had ill-treated his wife.

James R. Holland, cashier of the Charlotte, N. C., Farmers and Merchants' National bank who fled last Tuesday night, surrendered to the officers.

Mrs. Martha Wallen of Blackwater, Va., stabbed Mrs. Jane Wallace to death with a pitchfork. The murder was the outcome of jealousy on the part of Mrs. Wallen.

Robert Knox, the American forger who has been in prison at Belem, Mex., for two years, has been released. His wife, who was arrested at the same time, died in jail.

Near Alfordsville, Ind., David Grismore shot and fatally wounded a young man named Sherman Allen. Grismore is sixty-one years of age, and claims that Allen is the cause of his daughter's downfall.

Six robbers attempted to hold up a train on the Northern Pacific at the Cascade mountain tunnel. A posse on board the train took the bandits in custody without a shot being fired on either side.

The skeleton of Johanna Logue, wife of "Jimmy" Logue, the crook, has been found at Philadelphia. She was murdered sixteen years ago. It was not Logue, but a stepson, now under arrest, who killed the woman.

Mrs. W. R. Webb, of Sioux City, Ia., was housecleaning and concealed $3,000 worth of jewelry in some safe place, just where she cannot remember. When she looked for it it could not be found. The police believe it was stolen.

Foreign.

Half the town of Dubno in Russia has been destroyed by fire.

There has been an outbreak of cholera at the naval station of Moji in Southern Japan.

Maj. Weissman, the well-known German explorer, has been appointed governor of German East Africa.

Troops had to be called out in the City of Mexico to quell striking street porters at the custom house. The strikers finally returned to work.

President Diaz has opened the ports of Tampico, Guayrias and Vera Cruz for the entrance of bonded goods in transit to the free zone.

Grand Trunk railway directors had a stormy meeting in London. An adjournment for a week finally had to be taken.

The condition of the Duke of Orleans who broke his leg while out hunting near Seville, is serious. A slight attack of pneumonia is complicating matters.

Count von Reventlow the Danish minister at Washington has been appointed minister for Denmark at Rome. M. C. Brun, the secretary of the Danish legation at Paris, succeeds Count von Reventlow as Danish minister at Washington.

At the marriage of Theodore Brinckman to a step-daughter of Lord Aylesford at London, when the words "if any man can show just cause, etc., were reached, the Rev. Father Black, who was in the gallery, protested against the marriage because the groom was a divorced man.

Otherwise.

It was decided by a popular vote to consolidate Clinton and Lyons, Iowa.

The National Association of Railway Surgeons is in session at Chicago.

Ohio oil took a 5-cent drop at Toledo.

St. Louis police are after "mashers." One particularly offensive fellow was fined $100 and costs.

The first consignment of apricots this season has been from Sacramento to Chicago.

The Pennsylvania Supreme court has decided that bicyclists must pay toll on turnpikes.

Sir Henry Tyler resigns as president of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada.

It is reported that the New York World will join the ranks of 3-cent papers.

Bacteria in milk has caused an epidemic of typhoid fever at Stamford, Conn.

Millions of army worms have appeared on one or two farms near Danville, Ky., devasting all vegetation.

More than $100,000 has been subscribed in Philadelphia toward the establishment of a school for wayward Catholic boys.

Every iron ship in the San Francisco harbor with one exception has been chartered. This is a condition which has never before been at that port.

The 30 coatmakers of Baltimore, members of the United Garment Makers of America, opposed to the sweating system are out on a strike.

a prominent farmer west of Brazil, Ind., left his home Tuesday of last week and his family has heard nothing from him.

New York ministers have agreeed that religion is a commodity and that to be successful churches must advertise.

The Kentucky state board of equalization has increased the assessments of state property $14,000,000 above the total valuation of county assessors.

The alleged strike involving 20,000 Ohio coal miners is merely the annual suspension that will continue until the scale for the year May 1 is signed.

Stockholders of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Michigan railroad want the recent foreclosure sale to R. C. Martin annulled.

Lord Sholto Douglas, second son of the Marquis of Queensberry, is now frequenting San Francisco racetracks. He is pretty seedy.

Daniel Cort of Zwingle, Iowa, dropped dead at his library table. He was 80 years old and had lived in Dubuque county fifty years.

A sand bearing oil has been discovered in a tunnel being driven at Douglass, Wyo., for irrigation purposes.

The men employed by the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company near Pittsburg, repudiated the strike order. They said in convention they were satisfied with the 55-cent rate.

The will of David M. Stone, editor of the New York Journal of Commerce for nearly fifty years, shows that he left an estate of $45,000 to relatives, friends and servants.

The wool crop of Wabash county, Ind., is reported by Wabash buyers to be almost a failure this season. Very little is coming in and the dealers do not anticipate an increase in receipts.

The Georgia W. C. T. U., state convention has adjourned without discussing female suffrage, the emphatic protest of the minister of the church where sessions were held preventing any discussion of the question.

Perry Bowser, a former inmate of the Soldiers' home at Dayton, Ohio, and who lived at Elwood, Ind., recently, with his family has disappeared and it is feared he has gone insane again.

Miss Lou Parsons, a young woman of remarkable beauty, who represented herself several days ago as a professional model from eastern studios, is lying dangerously sick at Kansas City from peritonitis. It is said that she is a member of a wealthy and most respectable family in the east, and that she came west on account of a disappointment in love.

BIG RIOT IN CHICAGO.

SERIOUS TIMES AT THE ILLINOIS STEEL COMPANY'S PLANT.

Twelve Hundred Men Strike and Later Assault Men Who Had Remained at Work—The Police Take a Hand in the Fight.

Chicago, May .—A serious strike occurred at the plant of the Illinois Steel company in South Chicago yesterday, 1,200 men throwing down their tools and walking out. Last evening a fight occurred in the company's yards, and it was found necessary to call in the police. The strikers for a time stood their ground against the officers, but were soon routed and driven from the premises. The men most seriously hurt were:

Jack Shepherd, a machinist, struck on the head by a hammer in the hands of a striker; severe scalp wound, rendered unconscious, will recover.

Edward Shaska, striker, thrown out of machine shop by workmen; body bruises.

Officer Leidendecker, hit with a coupling pin; bad cut over right eye.

Officer Patrick McCauley, hit in mouth with brick.

Twenty-eight men, who are said to have been the leaders of the strikers at the rioting were arrested and locked up at the South Chicago police station. They are charged with rioting. They are all ignorant Hungarians, Poles and Bohemians.

The strikers were at first disposed to be orderly and peaceable, but later affairs took on an ugly aspect, and it was found necessary to call on the police to drive them out. Shortly before six o'clock a crowd numbering 1,600 men forced their way past the watchmen at one of the gates and proceeded to take possession of the company's property. They marched first to where some of the laboring men were still at work, and either compelled them to join their ranks or quit work. Not much trouble was experienced with the laborers, but when the strikers reached the machine shops where about 400 machinists were employed, they met with a different reception. The machinists have a scale of their own and the fight of the other men made no particular difference to them, and they refused either to quit or to allow themselves to be driven out of the yards. The strikers, who, for the most part were Hungarians and Poles, made several attempts to persuade the machinists to leave their work, but finding them unsuccessful, they began an attack upon the machine shop with stones and such weapons as they could pick up. The machinists, for the most part, stood their ground and gave the strikers as good as they sent. The fight was growing warm, and broken heads and bloody noses were growing very common when the police, who had been summoned when the fight first began, arrived. They were under the command of Capt. Jenkins, who at once made a charge on the mob with his handful of officers. The strikers at first refused to give ground, and the police used their clubs freely. This did not have the desired effect, and Capt. Jenkins ordered his men to draw their revolvers and fire over the heads of the strikers. As soon as this was done the mob broke and fled wildly from the premises of the company.

The health authorities of a number of States have recently made exhaustive examinations of the baking powders with the uniform result of finding the Royal superior to all others.

Geological Survey.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 9. — It has been decided by the trustees of the state school of mines and the board of regents having in charge the educational institutions in the Black Hills to run a geological survey from Rapid City to the coal deposits on the Grand river. Prof. J. E. Todd, state geologist, will have charge of the department of geology on the expedition, and Prof. F. C. Smith, of the school of mines, will look after the economic and mining departments. The same faculty has been retained at the school of mines for the ensuing year. The school has during the past year shown marked advancement and has had the largest registration since the foundation of the institution.

The A. P. A.

Milwaukee, May 9 — The supreme council of the American Protective association will begin its eighth annual session in Liberty hall to-morrow morning. The committee on credentials held its first annual session this morning. About 150 representatives are already in the city. It is expected that every state and territory will be represented except Mississippi, New Mexico and the Indian Territory, and that upward of 400 delegates will occupy seats on the floor of the hall.

Gov. Turney Inaugurated.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9. — To-day Gov. Turney was inaugurated in the hall of representatives, which was festooned with bunting and decorated with plants and flowers for the occasion. A large attendance from neighboring towns was present.

The Royal Baking Powder is the greatest of the modern time helps to perfect cooking and every receipt requiring a raising ingredient should embody it.

Jackson's Church Damaged.

Nashville, Tenn., May 9.—The little historic church built by Gen. Andrew Jackson and his wife near the hermitage in 1823, was badly damaged by a storm yesterday. A tree was blown upon it, crushing in the roof, and the interior was badly damaged by water

Killed by Cars.

Wabasha, Minn., May 9.—The body of an unknown man was found this morning near the depot, supposed from papers found on the body, to have been T. Cockroft of Milwaukee. He evidently was killed by cars while trying to steal a ride.

Ito at the Foo.

Che Foo, May 9.—Count Ito, president of the Japanese council of ministers, arrived here to-day in order to be present at the exchange of the ratifications of the treaty of peace.

STRIKE EXTENDING.

The Labor Troubles in Sheboygan More Serious.

Sheboygan, Wis., May 4.—This afternoon the entire force of the Crocker chair factory, to the number of 500 men, walked out and paraded the streets. The Crocker Chair company has the biggest chair factory in the United States, having two large factories, with branch houses at New York, Chicago, and Minneapolis. There seems to be little doubt that the strike will become general throughout the city. The C. L. Roenitz Leather company voluntarily raised wages 10 per cent, but the men demanded 20 per cent, and nearly 200 walked out. The Mattoon Manufacturing company have offered their men a raise of 10 per cent, but the offer has been refused.

SOUTH DAKOTA LOSES.

Its Claim Against the United States Is Not Upheld.

Washington, May 4.—An opinion in the case of South Dakota against the United States for a claim of 50,000 acres of the Yankton Indian reservation has been written by the attorney of the land department. It is against the claim of the state having choice of allotment. Before becoming effective the opinion must be passed on by Secretary Smith and the president. Secretary Smith is in Georgia, and it will be some days yet before the reservation is opened.

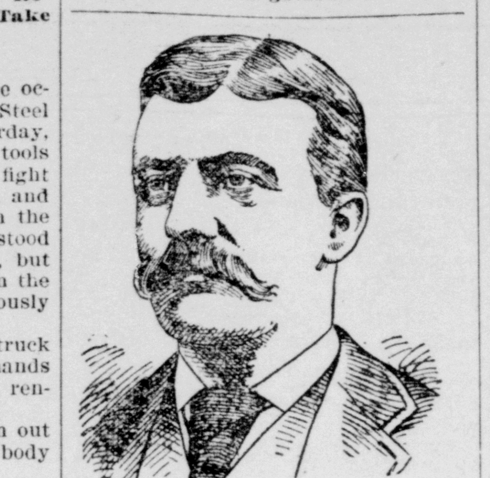
Supposed to Have Suicided.

Brainerd, Minn., May 4.—The body of Jacob Hamerle was found in Wabadah lake yesterday by Frank Raynor. Hamerle disappeared last November from a lumber camp, and it is thought to be a case of suicide. He was a middle-aged man and had no known relatives in this country.

POLICE COMMISSIONER

Theodore Roosevelt Assumes His New Position in New York.

New York, May 9.—Theodore Roosevelt has taken the oath of office as one of the three police commissioners. Mr. Roosevelt is only thirty-five years of age, but he has gained celebrity as



Theodore Roosevelt.

a writer, politician and as a huntsman. He is a scion of an old New York family and was himself born in the metropolis. Mr. Roosevelt claims literature as a profession. He has served three terms in the New York legislature and was the Republican candidate for mayor of New York city in 1886. As a writer he has delved deeply in fields of American history, politics and out-door sports.

"I find the Royal Baking Powder superior to all the others in every respect. It is entirely free from all adulteration and unwholesome impurity, and in baking it gives off a greater volume of leavening gas than any other powder.

Walter S. Haines, M. D."

Chemist to the Chicago Board of Health.

VIRGINIA FEUD.

It Results in Three Dead and One Fatally Wounded.

Sergeant, Ky., May 9. — Wagoners have brought the news to this place that the Gilley boys and Joe and Will Day met near their homes on Indian creek, nine miles from Norton, Va., and engaged in a deadly battle which resulted in the death of the three Gilley boys and the fatal wounding of Joe Day. This is the word received. The truth of the details cannot at this time be stated, but it is further reported that Will Day, one of the participants, is in the Wise county jail. The two factions have been at war for some time, the bad feeling growing out of the elopement of one of the Gilleys with a Day girl, sister of Joe and Will, in 1893. The bloodshed just reported is the first that has resulted from the feeling between the two factions.

BIGAMOUS INDIANS.

A Sioux Chief to Be Tried for Having Too Many Wives.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 9.—American Horse, a prominent Sioux chief, arrested last week on the charge of bigamy, has been held to the United States grand jury in the sum of $3000. He is accused of having four wives. The crime of bigamy has heretofore received no attention from the government, and Indians have had enough wives to support them with impunity. Now the government has come in and threatens to make an example of American Horse, with a view to scaring the reds out of the practice. Dearly and Ghost Dog, two other Sioux, were each held in a similar bond of $300 for stealing cattle. All three Indians furnished bonds and returned to the reservation.

There is no baking powder which produces such sweet and tasteful food as the Royal Baking Powder.

DINWOODIE'S BODY.

It Is Found Floating in the Bay at Duluth.

Duluth, Minn., May 9.—The mystery concerning the disappearance of George Dinwoodie, who used to be in the coal business in Duluth, but of late has been with the Lehigh Coal and Iron company at St. Paul, was cleared up this morning, when the captain of the steamer Mayflower, which plies between Duluth and Superior, discovered the body of a man floating in the water about thirty feet out from Dock No. 1, of the Northwestern Fuel company, at the foot of Fifth avenue west, and only two blocks from the depot. The remains were unrecognizable, but the name in Dinwoodie's hat told the story.

G. A. R. IN IOWA.

Suspicious and Auspicious Opening of the State Encampment.

Clinton, Iowa, May 9.—The opening day of the state encampment, G. A. R., of Iowa, here, is fairly pleasant with thousands of boys in blue, Sons of Veterans and members of the Woman's Relief corps. Among the noted visitors already here are Commander-in-Chief Thomas G. Lawler, Gen. Frank D. Jackson of Iowa and Department Commander Newman. The grand parade, in which several thousand were in line, started at 2 p. m. Camp fires, addressed by prominent men, were held in Davis' opera house and three of the churches.

Oscar Wilde at Liberty.

London, May 9—Oscar Wilde was released on bail to-day, after furnishing a personal bond for $12,500 and two sureties in $6,250 each.

Driven Ashore.

Trempealeau, Wis., May 9. — The steamer Cyclone with a lumber raft in tow for the Tabor Company of Keokuk, Iowa, was caught in a storm while rounding the bend at the head of the upper island, and was blown ashore, the raft breaking in pieces.

Down an Elevator Shaft.

St. Louis, May 9.—John M. Chandler, aged sixty, a leading attorney of this city, was instantly killed to-day by falling down the elevator shaft of the Security building.

EVICTIONS ABANDONED.

Tenants Will Be Unmolested During the Court's Decision.

Pender, Neb., May 4.—Capt. Breck has abandoned his intention of evicting the tenants until the courts settle the contention. J. F. Meyers, head of the land company, has just returned from a trip over the reservation, and reports that while the settlers were prepared to resist the Indian police, there was, happily, no opportunity for action in that direction. The settlers have now gained confidence and are busy at work putting in their crops. Only twenty-four hours remain for Capt. Breck to habeas corpus the two Indian police in the Pender jail.

Requisition for Whiteman.

Albany, N. Y., May 4.—Gov. Morton gave a hearing this afternoon and granted a requisition to the governor of California for the custody of A. J. Whiteman, who is charged with having forged a check for $500 in San Francisco. Whiteman was arrested in New York about a week ago.

Selected a North Dakota Man.

Helena, Mont., May 4.—The state board of education selected President Webster Merrifield, of the University of North Dakota, at Grand Forks, to be president of the Montana state university, located at Missoula. The Montana institution will open its doors this fall.

Held for Extradition.

Washington, May 4.—A telegram received at the secret service bureau from Hamilton, Ont., states that Mrs. M. L. Mack, charged with being a member of the Chicago postage stamp counterfeiting gang, was to-day committed for extradition.

Royal Arcanum.

Milwaukee, May 4.—The seventeenth annual session of the Wisconsin grand council of the Royal Arcanum convened here to-day.

BENEDICT IS RUN IN.

HOT TIMES FOR A WHILE AT NEW RICHMOND, WIS.

A Burglar Takes Refuge in a Hotel Now on His Way to South Dakota to Be Tried for Assisting Taylor to Escape.

Chicago, May 8.—The arrest of H. M. Benedict, brother-in-law of W. W. Taylor, the defaulting state treasurer of South Dakota, took place in Chicago at the Leland hotel. Pinkerton detectives say that it has been definitely learned that Benedict assisted Taylor to escape. He has been wanted for some time, and constant search for him has been kept up. Last week it was learned that Benedict had been in this city, but had gone to New York. A search of the latter place failed to find him, however. Then word was received that he was still in Chicago, and he was discovered at the Leland hotel. A man was sent to Springfield for requisition papers, and as soon as he returned Benedict was placed under arrest and immediately taken aboard the train for South Dakota. The fact of the arrest was kept secret until after he was on the train.

KILRAIN WHIPPED.

He Is Knocked Out by Steve O'Donnell of Australia.

Coney Island, N. Y., May 8.—Steve O'Donnell knocked Jake Kilrain out in the twenty-first round. In the last round Jake's face showed evident signs of his punishment, but he was still very game. He led off with his right on the neck. O'Donnell fought him around the ring. When at close quarters he put his right on the body and sent his left over the jaw. Kilrain fell like a log to the floor of the ring, and although he managed to get up within the required ten seconds, the referee, Tim Hurst, stopped the bout at the request of the police. Jake would have been put out with one more punch. Time of last round, 1:18. Time of fight, 1:20:10.

CATHOLIC INSTITUTIONS.

Missouri Christian Endeavorers Raise an Objection.

Sedalia, Mo., May 8. — Before final adjournment the Missouri convention of Christian Endeavor society adopted a resolution that in various places in Missouri for many years past the action of the United States has been violated and civil liberty outraged in that helpless girls and women have been illegally, cruelly and without due process of law, deprived of their liberty and incarcerated, held indefinitely in a condition of slavery in prison houses not recognized by the laws of the state, viz.: Nunneries, reformatories, convents and other institutions of like nature, from which they cannot be classed by existing laws, except by except by expensive litigation. The session requested that the governor recommend to the legislature, now in session, the legislation which shall prevent the unwarranted detention of any person in this state.

ENDED HIS LIFE.

Sleepy Eye the Scene of a Drunken Row and Midnight Tragedy.

Sleepy Eye, Minn., May 8.—A row on the street at 11 o'clock last evening ended in a tragedy. Alfred Koecherie, a young man twenty years of age, a tinner by trade in the employ of Hanson & Goettsche, shot Fritz Koehne, a young associate, in the neck and afterward committed suicide. The trouble started during the afternoon in Eade's saloon, where Koehne was tending bar. A dispute about change was the cause, although it is said that a feud has been on between the young fellows for over a year. Koehne will recover.

HYDROPHOBIA VICTIMS.

A Faribault Police Officer May Die From a Bite.

Faribault, Minn., May 8. — Policeman Louis Joachim lies at his home at the point of death from the effects of a dog bite received a month or more ago. Precautions were taken at the time, but last Friday he went home sick, and late last evening symptoms of hydrophobia developed that may prove fatal. A mad dog belonging to a man named Gilbelyon has bitten the son of Otto Stroberger, also a son of Daniel Donohue.

Compelled to Climb Trees.

Houghton, Tex., May 8. — Reports from Eastern Texas tell of a regular spout which fell yesterday. A dispatch from Nacodoches states that miles of fencing was washed away and a bridge on Bonita bayou was carried away, and a mile of railroad track on the East & West Texas here was washed out. Thirteen sections of a bridge on this road were carried off by the torrent. Judge Lomis, Dr. Barham, Henry Carroway, George Barham and Hub Lewis were compelled to climb trees by the fast rising water and were not rescued until to-day.

A Strike On.

Duluth, Minn., May 8.—A strike is on in the Franklin-Rockefeller mine on the Mesaba iron range. Three hundred and fifty men are out, and it is possible that the trouble may spread. The trouble was precipitated by the loaders, who demand that all the men in the mine be paid higher wages.

Probably Destroyed.

Bay City, Mich., May 8. — Greenwood is believed to have been destroyed by forest fires.

Hail Storm in Omaha.

Omaha, May 8—A terrific hail storm did much damage in Omaha to-day. Hail stones filled the streets. Much property was destroyed, mostly glass and young trees. The damage will amount to thousands of dollars. Few glass remain in windows fronting the streets.

American Sculptors.

New York, May 8.—The second annual exhibition of the national sculpture society opened to-day at the galleries of the fine arts building.

PERSONATION OF DEITY.

Its Punishment the Object of a Measure in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Special.—A bill was introduced in the legislature to-day which is aimed at Schweinfurth, the Rockford "Christ." It provides that whoever assumes or pretends to be the Deity or assumes to possess the attributes of the Deity, or whoever falsely assumes or pretends to be the Son of God or Jesus Christ, or holds himself out to the world as possessing either or any of the attributes generally attributed to the Deity, or whoever claims to be the incarnation of what is commonly known and called the saving graces of the Holy Ghost or Jesus Christ, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary from one to two years.

Normal School Diplomas.

St. Paul, Special.—State Superintendent of Schools Pendergast and Chairman Pattee, of the state normal school board, signed the diplomas for graduates of the state normal schools yesterday. The registration for graduation at the various schools is as follows:

Elementary Course — Winona, 90; Mankato, 65; St Cloud, 30; Moorhead, 6. Total, 181.

Advanced Course — Winona, 40; Mankato, 30; St. Cloud, 35; Moorhead, 7. Total, 112; making a grand total of 293.

Ball Wants Boodle.

Kansas City Mo, Special.—Frank M. Ball, formerly yard clerk for the Missouri Pacific railway at this point, brought suit against that corporation in the circuit court to-day to recover $5,000 damages. Ball claims that he has been blacklisted by the Missouri Pacific railway, and that it is using its influence to prevent him from obtaining work.

MINNEAPOLIS MURDER.

Jealousy Causes Fritz Williams to Kill H. W. Thomas.

Minneapolis, May 8—Mad with jealous rage, Fritz Williams fired a shot which put out the life of H. W. Thomas, superintendent of the Soo telegraph. Williams has confessed.

At 1:15 a. m. Ward Hansel and W. H. Dickenson were passing the corner of Thirty-second and Chicago avenue. The body of a man was seen lying beside the crosswalk, his head almost touching it. A hasty examination showed that murder had been done. The residence of R. L. Berglund was nearest the scene of the murder, and on being roused the family identified the body as that of Thomas. The body bore no marks of robbery, there being $35 in his pocket and some valuable jewelry. The motive, however, was quickly divined when the Berglunds stated that Thomas had been calling there last evening.

A daughter of Mr. Berglund was married about two years ago to Fritz Williams. The marriage was a Hudson affair. Williams was a young fellow of indifferent reputation and for some time was clerk at the Windsor hotel, which was then operated by Mr. Berglund. Mr. Thomas also lived at the Windsor. A few months ago Mrs. Williams began proceedings for a divorce. Since their removal from the Windsor hotel, Thomas had been a frequent visitor at the Berglund's. Williams was found at his home on Chicago avenue. He admitted the shooting. Through his attorney, Williams made the following statement:

"I went up to Berglund's house to see my wife, and when I arrived there I saw her and Thomas sitting in the dark by the window. This enraged me beyond all power of control. I walked up and down for some time and then finally waited for Thomas by the little church on the corner. About 10:45 he came out. It was raining. He raised his umbrella. He crossed the street and turned his back upon me and I drew a revolver from my pocket. I walked quickly up to him and, just as he turned, poked the gun into his face and fired. He dropped without a groan, and I made my way home."

SCHOOL SUPPLIES LOST.

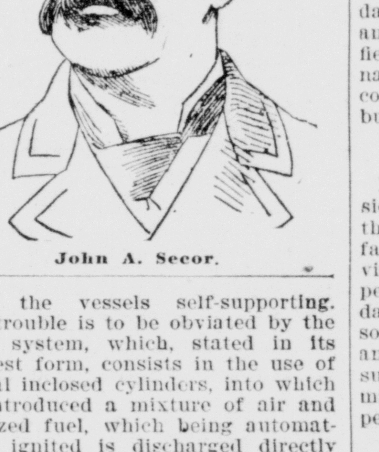
Serious Fire in a Business Block at Sioux Falls.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 8. — Fire, which started in some unknown manner last evening in the Syndicate block, a four-story brick, damaged equivalent to a complete loss $34,700 worth of school supplies of the Chicago School Supply company, managed here by Earl V. Norton. The supplies were mostly books and maps which are easily damaged both by smoke and water, and it was necessary to turn on three big streams of water in order to save the block, which was built at a cost of $90,000. Manager Stout, of Stout's orchestra, lost $250 worth of music. The Co-operative Savings and Loan association sustained some loss by water. The damaged property was insured for $25,000.

GREAT INVENTION.

That of John A. Secor, a Rival of Edison.

New York, May 8.—A trial will soon be made of the invention of John A. Secor, whom Edison is obliged to recognize as a rival. The invention is a system of marine propulson. The immense amount of fuel which it is necessary for transatlantic steamers to carry occupies so much space that not enough passengers and merchandise in addition can be carried to



John A. Secor.

make the vessels self-supporting. This trouble is to be obviated by the Secor system, which, stated in its simplest form, consists in the use of several inclosed cylinders, into which are introduced a mixture of air and atomized fuel, which being automatically ignited is discharged directly against the external water at the stern of the vessel. The instantaneous expulson of the gases drives the vessel forward in the water just as a rocket is elevated in the air. The expulsions under perfect control, are produced with regularity and average 300 per minute. This invention, it is thought, will cause as great a commercial revolution as that which followed the original introduction of steam.

An Editor Arrested.

Kearney, Neb., May 7—W. R. Reese, editor of the Kearney Journal, is under arrest charged with forgery in connection with county warrants. It is claimed that he raised in many cases the warrants, and that the amount involved is in the thousands

Shoes Go Up.

Brockton, Mass., May 8.—Brockton manufacturers have decided almost unanimously to increase the price of shoes from 15 to 20 cents a pair.

Train Robber Treed.

Marcus, Cal., May 8.—Sheriff Smith has located two suspicious characters supposed to be the Marysville train robbers, at a lonely spot four miles west of here. They refuse to allow any one to approach their place of concealment. A posse has gone to arrest them.

Banker Dead.

Wausau, Wis., May 7.—Jacob Poff, vice president of the First National bank, one of the best known residents of this city, died last evening.

WRECKERS AT WORK.

Tie Placed on the Track of the Great Western Railroad.

Marshalltown Iowa, Special.—The north-bound passenger train on the Chicago & Great Western railroad was wrecked between Green Mountain and Gladbrook late last night by striking a tie. It is learned the tie was placed on the track by miscreants. The engine and three coaches were thrown down a five-foot embankment, and are now lying in the ditch. The track is not cleared at this hour (11 a. m.). The baggageman and brakeman were slightly injured, but the rest of the crew and the passengers escaped unhurt.

Michigan Central Annual.

Detroit, Special.—The Michigan Central annual meeting was held this morning. The stockholders present were Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew, Edwin D. Worcester, Ashley Pond, George H. Russell, Emory Wendell and C. M. Davidson. The annual report showed that the earnings had suffered a drop of $3,594,017 below the receipts of 1893, but the expenses also exhibited a decrease of $3,143,684. The net earnings were $3,439,905. The entire directorate was re-elected.

Two Years of Work.

St. Paul, Special.—Grand Secretary Montgomery has just completed a register for the Masonic fraternity, which contains the name of every Mason that has been affiliated with any lodge in this state since 1849. The record shows that nearly 20,000 persons have been raised to the degree of Master Mason, while nearly 10,000 more were added by card. It took over two years to prepare the register, and it is considered a most valuable set of records.

AN IMPORTANT CASE.

IT COMES UP BEFORE THE UNITED STATES COURT.

A Suit for an Estoppel—The Eureka Chemical Company, of La Crosse, Makes the Trouble.

Papers have been filed in the United States court of the western district of Wisconsin by Tarrant & Kronshage, attorneys for the Sterling Remedy company, of Chicago and New York, in a suit for estoppel and damages against an imitation of No-to-bac, the tobacco habit cure. The action is brought against a concern called the Eureka Chemical company, of La Crosse, Wis.

The principles involved in these proceedings are of the utmost importance to the proprietary interests of America in general, and form in many respects, a test case, the outcome of which will be carefully watched by the many other important manufacturing concerns similarly imitated. Not only the question of imitation of name, trade-mark, form of preparation and package, enter into the case, but also the proposition whether the actual advertising literature used in establishing the publicity of a preparation can be stolen with impunity, word for word, by an imitator. The decision in this case will settle one of the vital points in United States trade-mark and copyright law.—Madison (Wis.) Democrat.

PROVE AN ALIBI.

This is What Durant's Attorneys Expect to do.

San Francisco, May 9. — Theodore Durant's attorneys have discovered evidence which will enable them to establish an alibi for their client so far as the Williams murder case is concerned. A Market street hairdresser states that Marian Williams was a regular patron. She says Miss Williams entered her shop at 8 o'clock on the night of her disappearance. She had her hair dressed, leaving the shop at 8:25. It is estimated that by taking the car immediately she could not have reached Emanuel church until 8:50. Durant's counsel argued that Durant could not, therefore, have escorted her into the church, outraged and murdered her and then walked to Dr. Vogel's house, where he arrived at 9:15.

The Royal Baking Powder Company controls its own cream of tartar factory and the processes for making the only absolutely pure cream of tartar. It sends its product to millions of homes all over the world, supplies the Army and Navy, the great transatlantic steamers, the finest hotels and restaurants. The "Royal" is recommended by the best chefs and authorities on cuisine in every land. Its sale is larger than that of all other cream of tartar baking powders combined and it has more friends among housekeepers than any other similar article.

Murderer Arraigned.

Minneapolis, May 9.—Frederick L. Williams, the slayer of H. W. Thomas, was arraigned in the municipal court this morning charged with murder in the first degree. The room was nearly empty, as it was generally understood that he would be brought before Judge Kerr at a later hour. F. C. Cook appeared as his attorney, and when Williams' name was called he promptly waived the reading of the complaint and examination in the municipal court. The court then bound him over to the grand jury without bail.

No Checks.

Washington, May 9.—The report that President Cleveland had sent a draft of $700 to a family in Decatur, Ind., on the occasion of the birth of triplets which were named for the president's household was pronounced to be without foundation at the White House today. In families where triplets occur, and where the president has been notified that they bear his name or the names of his family they receive a courteous letter of acknowledgment but no checks.

Bad for Insane People.

Milwaukee, May 9.—Court commissioners who have been looking into the subject say that the legislature failed to pass any laws making provision for the commitment of insane persons. There is no legal method today in Wisconsin whereby insane persons can be incarcerated in asylums, and there is no remedy if wardens and superintendents of asylums refuse admittance to the most violently insane person.

The statistics show that there is used in the manufacture of the Royal Baking Powder more than half of the cream of tartar consumed in the United States for all purposes. The wonderful sale thus indicated for the Royal Baking Powder—greater than that of all other baking powders combined—is perhaps the highest evidence of the superiority of this article, and of its indispensableness to modern cookery.

Good Crop Weather.

Washington, May 9.—The Weather bureau in its review of weather crop conditions for the week ended May 6 says: Generally the week has been very favorable. In the Northwestern states much needed, and for the present ample, rains have fallen, which, with unusually high temperatures, have been exceptionally favorable for germination of and rapid growth of all vegetation.

Attacked a Town.

Havana, May 9. — The insurgents this morning attacked the town of Cristo and burned three houses. During the engagement the Spanish troops lost one killed and six wounded. The loss of the insurgents is not known.

Not Arrested Yet.

Topeka, Kan., May 9.—Gov. Morrill returned to Topeka to-day but no warrant for arrest has been sworn out. Attorneys for Warden Chase still insist, however, that the arrest will be made, probably to morrow.

YOUNG TRAIN WRECKER.

Confesses to Having Placed an Obstruction on the Track.

Baraboo, Wis., Special.—About two weeks ago some obstruction was placed on the track near Devil's nose, a steep embankment a few miles south of here, by an unknown person, and but for the presence of mind of Engineer Luder, a passenger train would have been wrecked. As soon as the engine struck the obstruction Luder applied the air brakes, and only the engine left the track. Detective Jack Riley, of the Chicago & Northwestern, has been working on the case since that time and last night, assisted by Sheriff Hulbert, arrested Fred Wisner, a young lad living near Merrimac. Wisner is only fifteen years old. He has confessed.

When asked to give his reasons for having placed the bolts and spikes on the track the boy replied that he wanted to see the locomotive jump.

Business Houses Burned.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Special—Every business house except a restaurant and the depot in the village of Sand Lake, 25 miles north of here, were destroyed by fire to-day. Several residences were also burned, and there are not enough left to accommodate the homeless people. Three general stores, two drug stores, two hardware stores, one livery barn, one furniture store, two meat markets, the hotel, barber shop, wagon shop, and three groceries, were totally wiped out of existence. The total loss is estimated at $60,000, with less than $20,000 insurance.

More Miners Out.

Elkhorn, W. Va., Special.—All the miners in the Houston mines came out to-day. A committee of strikers waited on them last night. The operators and miners throughout the fields are holding together.

CORNER IN GOLD.

The Morgan-Rothschild Syndicate is At Work.

Chicago, May 9.—A special to the Post from Washington says: The discovery that there is an actual basis for the report that the Morgan-Rothschild bond syndicate is conspiring to corner the gold market has been regarded as a foolish canard. It is a fact, however, that brokers representing this syndicate have been paying a premium for the refined gold output of the private refineries through the West during the last two months, and that they are accumulating the gold at the rate of $2,500,000 to $3,000,000 per month, which represents fully two-thirds of the entire gold output of the United States. In order to divert the yellow stream from its usual channels leading into the United States mints, the private purchasers have been obliged to pay a premium of 1-16 to 1-2 cent. The premium paid for most of the gold was 1-8 cent, but so anxious have been the buyers to increase their lines and get everything in sight that they have marked up their quotations during the last few days. At the present time they are getting practically the entire output of the United States, excepting at the extreme western coast.

Many long-headed men in Washington and Wall street who are familiar with the methods of the parties composing the syndicate have jumped to the conclusion that the foundation is being laid for another bond deal before congress meets again. The last bond deal of $62,000,000 has been pretty well closed out, over $51,000,000 in gold having been paid out of the $64,000,000, and it is generally believed that the entire deal will be cleaned up before the first day of August.

Under the terms of the contract with the treasury department the Morgan-Rothschild syndicate has an option on any local bonds that may be issued by the government prior to October next. If from any natural causes or through chicanery and manipulation the administration is obliged to issue another batch of bonds to maintain the gold reserve the sale must be made to the syndicate that took the last issue. There is no escape from such action. It was nominated specially in the contract signed by direction of the president.

The clause in which the syndicate agrees to maintain the treasury reserve leaves the syndicate to be the judge as to what it can do in the premises or to what methods it shall adopt.

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If in the carrying out of that moral obligation the syndicate shall decide that the government must issue another $100,000,000 or $50,000,000 in bonds the administration will have nothing to do but comply with the terms. If the president does not want to issue any more bonds at the dictation of the syndicate the reserve can be practically wiped out in ten days, and then if he should decide in self-pritection to put out more bonds, he must sell them to the Morgan-Rothschild people and nobody else.

BLIXT IN PRISON.

He Has Commenced to Work Out His Life Sentence.

Minneapolis, May 9.—Claus A. Blixt, the murderer of Catherine Ging, had quite an eventful trip to Stillwater. The train at White Bear was met by a hundred or more citizens, who surrounded the train, calling for Blixt, while others marched through the coaches in search for him. They evidently had no intention of lynching Blixt, but their actions made it quite uncomfortable for the prisoner and his attendants. Blixt quietly remained in his seat and in this way escaped general observation. At Stillwater the train was met by some 500 people, but there was no demonstration.

Blixt, on arriving at the prison, was given a clean shave and was assigned to cell No. 202. His registered number is 4,171. The shaving made quite a change in his personal appearance. He bore up well until he was informed he could not see his wife again, and when denied this request he broke down and sobbed. He was to-day assigned to work in the shoe shop.

As a matter of useful information it may be stated that whenever a cooking receipt calls for a baking powder the "Royal" should be used. The receipt will be found to work better and surer, and the bread, biscuit, rolls, cakes, dumplings, crusts, puddings, crullers or whatever made, will be sweeter, lighter, finer-flavored, more dainty, palatable and wholesome.

Benedict Arraigned.

Pierre, S. D., May 9.—H. M. Benedict arrived this morning, accompanied by a Pinkerton agent. The preliminary hearing was called at 11 today and adjourned until to-morrow on account of the absence of Attorney General Crawford. Benedict, on the advice of his attorney, refuses to make any statement before examination.

New Man at the Helm.

Evansville, Minn., May 9. — Col. George H. Sheire of St. Paul has purchased the Evansville Enterprise, and will take charge of the paper next week. Mr. Sheire has had considerable experience in the newspaper business and will no doubt succeed in his new venture.

The authorities of Canada have been making an elaborate study of the baking powders sold there. The official analyst of Ontario says as the result of his investigation that he "finds the Royal Baking Powder far superior to the others," and goes so far as to recommend its use in preference to any other.

Deputies Dissolve.

Rome, May 9.—King Humbert has signed a decree dissolving the chamber of deputies and fixing May 26 as the date for the election of deputies. The second ballots will be taken on June 2. The new chamber will assemble Aug. 2.

Killed at New Ulm.

New Ulm, Minn., May 9.—Christian Hacker, a retired farmer, seventy-two years of age, living here, was run over by a Northwestern switch engine this morning and killed.

Secretary Hart Compiling Information About Them.

St. Paul, Special.—Secretary Hart, of the state board of corrections and charities, who is also secretary of the national board of corrections and charities, has a force of clerks busy at the capitol compiling information, statistical and otherwise, to be submitted at the meeting of the national board in New Haven, Conn., May 24 to 30, inclusive.

The Minnesota board will be represented by Secretary Hart and E. S. Durant, delegates, and Dr. S. G. Smith and J. D. Ludden of St. Paul, Rev. J. A. Stemen of Minneapolis, Supt. Merrill, of the state school at Owatonna, and W. E. Lee, superintendent of the state reformatory at St. Cloud, have signified their intention of attending the meeting.

Drainage Canal Accident.

Chicago, Special.—An acident on the drainage canal at Mount Forrest this morning killed one man and seriously injured three others, one of whom will die. The dead man is Elmer Tongen, a laborer, 30 years of age, who was instantly killed. The injured are Michael Scanlan, right arm badly crushed, necessitating amputation and injured internally; Charles Miller, and Jacob Duboine.

Murphy Re-Elected.

Chicago, Special.—Dr. J. B. Murphy of Chicago was re-elected president of the National Association of Railway surgeons at its session to-day. The contest for the presidency was a hot one, several candidates being warmly supported.

Wilde Admitted to Bail.

London, Special.—Upon application of counsel for Oscar Wilde, the judge to-day decided to admit the prisoner to bail. The amount will be fixed to-morrow.

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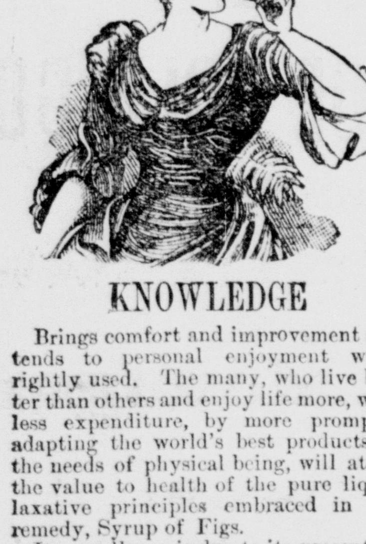
"Indians sometimes face light firearms with great courage, but they fight shy of the attentions of any weapon that sends a large projectile," said Col. F. A. Blake, who has had wide experience on the western plains. "The rush and scream of the heavy bullet frightens them, and they prefer to keep away from their range. To that not unreasonable prejudice is due the fact that the buffalo hunters of the early '70s, who in following their business were constantly exposed to the attacks of hostile Indians, were molested comparatively little by them. The long, heavy rifle, with its telescopic sights, and the knowledge of the deadly certainty of the buffalo hunter's aim, almost invariably served to make the red man keep his distance, and set him temporarily free from the notion of scalp hunting. One buffalo hunter by the name of Murdock, that I knew, was creeping upon a herd on the Staked Plain when he spied a band of Comanches riding toward him. He instantly leveled his gun upon them as a warning that they should not approach too near. Checking his warriors, the chief of the band pointed with his hand to a buffalo in the distant herd, then mentioned in the Indian language that the hunter should shoot it. Murdock fired as the chief indicated, and the buffalo fell. The Indians gave a loud 'How' of approval, waved their hands, turned their ponies and swept on past the hunter, leaving him to pursue his shooting of the buffalo unmolested."

Repose of Manner.

A foreign nobleman for whose opinion on etiquette and the higher amenities of fashionable life the modish folk of New York feel a profound respect, has been heard to remark that, though fascinating in many ways, our pretty American women which marks the caste to which all rich pretty and smart women strive to belong, the thoroughly aristocratic.

"American women," says the eminent censor of high breeding, "gesticulate too much, they laugh too much, are too restless when seated, too uneasy when standing, and altogether, when animated, are calculated to throw a sensitive person into a hard attack of sympathetic fidgets." So much of this is true, and so deep an impression has the frank criticism made on the women of New York at least, that few of them one meets but are vigorously studying what the nobleman calls "repose."

"To seem at rest," says one of the best exponents of this new doctrine of social conduct, "seat yourself carefully and at ease. Smile a good deal if you wish and are amused; but laugh rarely, and then in a modulated tone. Try to move your head about with graceful poising, but for the most part let your hands lie easily in your lap, and try to make it a rule to do everything slowly. American women are nervous instead of graceful, jerk from one thing to another, and so mar the good effects of good gowns and fair faces." Under this imported regulation one finds hostesses pouring tea with a deliberation that is positively restful to a weary soul; dancing no longer is a fast and furious rush of feet; and the last nights at the opera the pretty women in their boxes did not appear to be conversing so much in a wild sign language with gymnastic arm and head movements as in the low, sweet voices with which nature has so kindly blessed the majority.—Society Fads," in Demorest's Magazine.



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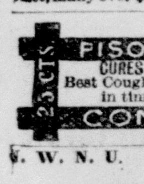
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SAVED BY A SQUAW.

The Experience of Pete Oberlin, a Frontier Good Samaritan.

It was so hot that the blue-gum leaves fairly sizzled. So hot that, as Pete Oberlin looked across the road from his shanty the outlines of the Oasis Saloon, and those of the combined post-office and grocery, seemed to waver and dance in the furnace current rising to the glaring, brazen sky. Hot as it was outdoors, it was still more like an oven in Pete's little one-room hut, for the fire was blazing, and Pete, coatless and vestless, was overseeing a frying pan of bacon and a mess of boiling potatoes.

The appetizing odor floated out of the doorway and spread over the neighborhood. It was distinctly noticeable as far off as the row of lopped eucalypti beyond the saloon. At the foot of one of these trees lay what at first sight semed only a bundle of rags; but a closer inspection revealed a shock of black hair and glimpses of a brown parchment skin that indicated a human being. Gradually, as the welcome aroma penetrated the creature's befogged brain the heap of rags stirred and tossed, and finally uplifting bodily, resolved itself into a very dirty and torn blanket, surmounted by a hideous, blear-eyed countenance. The old hag—for it was a woman—sniffed at the wandering fragrance, trying to catch its direction and then staggered unsteadily across the road to Pete's cabin.

"Hello there, Wawaga! Gettin' over yer spree?" greeted that gentleman, easily.

"Umph! No drunk! Injun hungry!" remarked the visitor.

Pete laughed good-naturedly, replied; "You wait; I'll give you a bite pretty quick now."

The old woman squatted on her heels by the stove and greedily eyed the preparations for the feast, while Pete kept his own optics steadily on his cooking to forestall any possible burning. The squaw's restless gaze roved around the room, finally pausing at the shelf behind the stove, upon which stood a cheap alarm-clock and a big black bottle; here it remained fixed until Pete looked at her once more, whereupon she announced in her quavering croak:

"Ol' Injun heap thirsty."

Pete laughed again. "Go along out ter ther pump, then," he said.

But Wawaga's eye was still glued to the interesting object before her. Soon Pete himself went out to the pump, pail in hand; immediately the bundle of rags by the wall stretched up a lean arm, with a quick and stealthy motion of a pouncing cat, and, seizing the bottle, poured the fiery contents down through the brown, parchment throat.

Such an unearthly howling and yelling as followed this successful thievery! Pete dropped his pail and came running in, to find his guest doubled up in agony and rolling around on the floor screaching like mad.

"What in thunder's struck her?" he cried; but just then catching sight of the black bottle still clutched in the Indian's skinny claw, his blank look turned to a wide grin. He dropped on the nearest box, slapping his thigh and chuckling: "My eye- ef the old fool ain't drunk that ther quart o' kerosene-" The terror stricken scream ing redoubled, while the man watched the poor wretch's antics in ecstacy. "Guess it'll teach her to quit meddlin'," he muttered gleefully; but as the moments passed he began to realize that the matter was serious, for the creature's contortions grew awful and her anguish was too great for amusement.

Pete's grin faded insensibly; he scratched his head thoughtfully, grumbling: "Don't know as I want the old gal kickin' the bucket right here and now, but what in tarnal creation's a feller goin' ter do fer her? Oh, gosh! I know!" He bolted across the road, sending up a chocking cloud of powdery soil, and burst into the store. "Say, Ike, yer got any mustard?" he demanded; "old Wawaga's done drunk all my coal oil, an' I guess it's goin' to kill her! Don't yer hear that screechin'?" Ike Dempsey, roused from his mid-day nap, rubbed his eyes and stretched himself, then rising deliberately from the cracker-barrel, and thrusting his quid into one cheek, drawled, lazily: "Wal, now, where's the hurt ef the ol'sot do gin us the shake? Oh, doan'e be in er rush naow! I guess ther's a can er mustard raound somewhers." Reaching a long lazy arm under the counter, he clattered among his possessions and brought up a fist full of yellow-brown dust. "This here nuff? Never mind payin'!" In two minutes more Pete Oberlin laid violent hands on the rolling heap of agony in his cabin, and sternly commanded, "Drink this here." She drank it. Then the frontiersman dragged his body outside the shanty, and left her alone with her misery.

After some time Pete returned to his patient, bearing a tin plate with a generous share of his dinner. He presented this with a flourish and grinned sympathetically as the morsels of food disappeared.

When the shadows of the blue-gums stretched long and gaunt to the eastward, and a mellow pink flushed the tops of the grand, distant mountains, a tipsy squalid old squaw, in tattered blanket, trailed slowly up the dusty road through the foothills; and for six months neither Ike Dempsey, nor Pete, nor even Pat Grogan at the saloon, saw any more of Wawaga.

When Pete Oberlin reached up to the shelf behind the stove that night, and, after feeling vainly around in the darkness struck a match and examined the surface, he let forth a volley of oaths that would have shocked the ears of a mule-driver, finishing up wrathfully with: "Wisht I'd let the old thief die and be d——d to her, afore ever she got away with my hand-carved briar-wood pipe."

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Week after week, Pete Oberlin, in his capacity of mail carrier, jogged over the dusty plain, wound in and out through the foot-hills, with a stop here and there at the ranches, and climbed over the ridge to the fort on the reservoir, always the destination of the biggest part of his budget.

After the early rains had carpeted the bare brown hills with green and given a glossier tinge to the mournful barkstripped eucalyptus, he began to hear ugly rumors on his trips from farm-house to farm-house. There had not been an Indian outbreak for twenty years in that section, but some disquieting influence was hard at work on the red skins. Some said the Indian Messiah was coming, others that one of Goronimo's lieutenants had been sowing this excitement among them; be that as it may, there was a watchful anxiety at the fort and a growing feeling of danger in the breasts of the neighboring ranchmen. Every bit of this came, of course, to the ears of the mail-carrier and, in the snug bar-room of the "Oasis," he would regale a little knot of cronies with highly colored tales of the secret dances, the weapons, and war preparations to be seen in wild nooks in the hills, if a white man knew where to look for them. Yet for all these notes of warning no one dreamed of an actual dangerous uprising.

One soft winter's night, when the damp laden rain-wind blew heavily from the south and the low-hung cloud-blanket shut out every wee ray of starlight, dark-mounted figures met in a sheltered hill basin. Ten, twenty, fifty, they gathered; then in single file, with muffled hoofs, they wound away from their prison. Several hours later, as the mischievous band stealthily made its way out on the plain, a stunted figure, in a ragged blanket, shrunk silently into the bushes to let the cavalcade pass, and then emerged once more from her cover and struck into a swinging trot in the rear of the swift-moving riders.

A faine, angry flush of dawn peeped over the sombre mountains as the redskin braves surrounded the few scattered buildings composing Rush Station. A dog barked in the rear of the saloon, and, in response, a sharp report sent a shudder through the chill morning air; with a howl of anguish, the poor beast rolled over in the dust. At the crack of the pistol the half-dozen men in the shanties, came tumbling from different doorways. Not one was more than half-dressed, but each one had snatched up his rifle. What odds are six men against fifty? As the hastily wakened settlers stumbled out from their cabins, a leaden hail rattled around them; two of their number fell, struck off at once by the raiders. "Injuns, by the tarnal heavens!" cried Ike Dempsey, and the four remaining defenders now very thoroughly aroused, drew quickly back into the store and blazed away from this cover at their murderous assailants. They had ammunition in plenty and spare guns. Ike's wife put her two little sobbing children into a big box in the center of the building, as the point that was furthest from danger, and herself filled the hot, smoking rifles. The fusilade was thick and fast, and bullets flew in through the openings. Pat Grogan's right arm was shattered, but he rested his gun on the window and fired vindictively. Poor Smith was shot through the lungs and fell in a dying condition; Mrs. Dempsey took his place handling her rifle deftly. Time and again some sharp howl of anguish told of a well-directed shot at the half-concealed sinister foeman.

Morning was advancing; perhaps by this time the flight from the reservation was discovered and soldiers were coming to help them—if only they could keep the red devils at bay a while longer. Vain hope! Black Wing, chief of the raiders had also thought of the soldiers; he concluded it was time to make short work of these sharp-sighted marks men who were picking off his companions. There came a sudden fearful yelling a swift rush and retreat of moccasined feet, then the pungent smell of smoke, and the ominous crackling of fire licking up the dry boards. The heat became intolerable—to remain was sure death from the destroying element.

The shot-riddled portal was flung wide, and the two little lads in the middle, the forlorn hope sought a new refuge, their guns speaking death in the passage. Ike Dempsey fell in his own doorway, shot through the brain. Pat Grogan fell in the roadway, and, at the same moment, the brave who had shot him reeled and toppled down from his saddle. With a horrible sense of sickness. Pete saw a savage horseman bury his tomahawk in the woman's head, and then snatch up one of the children and dash his skull on the doorstone. The other little fellow slipped from the hand that grasped at him, and stumbled over the cabin threshold, barely escaping a bullet; a sharp whistle cut the air, Pete felt a stinging pain in his shoulder, and fell to the groud unconscious.

With an exultant shout at the destruction of this last enemy, the savage swarmed from their places of attack and hastily entered the buildings, stowing away whatever was portable and making sad havoc of Grogan's stock of liquors; but they were not yet far enough from the reservation to allow themselves a long stop. The store was burning fiercely; to force his unruly following to hurry, Black Wing, fired the saloon with his own hand, the wooden frame blazing like tinder. One by one the sheds and shacks were ignited; three or four wretches, with fresh, gory scalps dangling at their belts, rushed over to apply the torch to the only remaining building, Pete Oberlin's shanty. A young brave stumbled over the inanimate form in the pathway, and with a whoop of delight waved his blade over the thick black locks. Just as he stooped to his victim, an add, long-drawn cry arrested his arm in its motion. A wild and dust-covered figure sprang into the blood-crazed circle, pouring out a torrent of guttural abuse and lamentation that somehow commanded attention.

The old woman—for it was Wawaga—bent above the prostrate man, waving off the armed braves, and felt felt for the faintest of heart-beats; then raising herself to her full height, shaking back her snaky hair, and with a rude, powerful majesty, she commanded in her own tongue:

"Go, while yet you have time! Before the morning has ended, the soldiers will be on you. This man still lives. He is mine; do not touch him; you have the scalps of the others."

Wawaga was one of the mothers of the tribe, and her words had weight with the warriors. Black Wing mounted his pony and all of his raiders did likewise. In the light of the gray, cloudy morning, a wild procession scurried over the plains and away once more to the mountains, where they could find secret hiding and for months elude their pursuers, while they kept the whole country in terror with their thieving burning and killing.

When Pete Oberlin, lying in his own bunk, opened his eyes on the dim scene lighted by the flickering fire, he thought he had gone through a horrible dream. Kicking off the covers, he sat up with a vigorous jerk; but the sharp pain in his shoulder made him grind his teeth in agony. At the same moment he became aware of a dark figure crouched in one corner holding a bundle of white. His sudden motion and muttered exclamation stirred the quiet watcher; stumbling to her feet, she bore her burden to the pallet and deposited it beside him. "Him live, lil boy," she announced gravely. Pete sank back beside the sleeping child, with a choking sensation, half thankfulness for their escape and half-horror at the suddenly conjured picture of the boy's murdered mother and brother. He remembered how he was wounded. How had they two escaped scalping? How came Wawaga there? Were the redskins still at the station? If so, he must use greatest caution. Perhaps they had kept him for torture. The woman anticipated his queries. "Injuns gone! You go now, 'fore come back!" Pete started again upright, maintaining his position in spite of the shooting pain and dreadful dizziness.

"Which way shall I go, and how?" he asked, eagerly. "I must take little Jim! Did them raskils git all ther hosses?"

"White man keep still! Wawaga get pony!" and the old woman drew the tattered blanket around her and slipped noiselessly from the room, leaving Pete to his own busy thoughts. She was gone but a few seconds, before she glided in again, muttering: "Him ready! You go fort, no find Injuns!"

Pete felt sick and faint; he wondered how he could keep himself and the drowsy child on the animal's back over the many miles of rough road that lay between them and safety; it was impossible to remain in their defenseless position, so he must make the effort. He could not imagine how the squaw had dismissed his assailants, and he expected, their return with darkness to finish their programme of vengeance.

Wawaga herself carried out the boy. "No touch, arm hurt," she said, motioning away the wounded man. Very gently she lifted the tiny figure, stilling the fretful wail and coaxing him to wake up and ride on the pony. She led the way and Pete followed; as he stepped out into the dusk, his heart swelled at the utter desolation, only the scorched row of gum trees marked the site of Rush Station beside his forlorn little cabin.

With a good deal of wrenching and pain, Pete clambered into the saddle, the squaw lifted the boy before him, the man gathered the bridle into his useful hand, encircling the child with the same arm. Before he put spurs to his horse and set out on his perilous journey, he leaned down toward thward the stunted and squalid hag at the horse's head, saying hoarsely "You're a good un, Wawaga! I'll do as much fer you if ever I git ther chance."

"Ugh!" granted the old woman. "Squaw no good! Heap good white man,no let ol' Injun die! All even now. Here—ol' squaw take um—no good, b'long white man. She thrust a black something into his hand, and, turning stolidly around, re-entered the desolate cabin.

Peter Oberlin buried his spurs in his animal's flank, and the beast sprang forward past the heaps of smoldering cinders and the blasted row of gum-tres and headed straight for the mountains. In his unwounded hand, with the bridle, Pete held his long-lost briar-wood pipe.—Gertrude B. Millard, in the Argonaut.

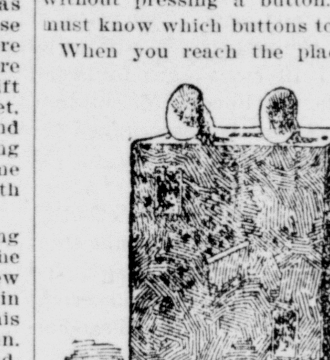
EDISON'S WONDER.

A CHAT WITH THE INVENTOR ON THE KINETOGRAPH.

A Combination of Phonograph and Kinetoscope—The Difficulties of Attaining Perfection in the Most Marvelous of Inventions.

A visit to Thomas A. Edison is suggestive of a pilgrimage to the haunts of some mediaeval wizard. The Walpurgisnacht in Faust and the summit of the Brocken seem tame in comparison. The great inventor has established himself in a dell hidden among vagrant mountains in New Jersey wilds. The neighborhood has no inhabitants with the exception of the 200-odd men whom the wizard employs in his incantations. The place is an old deserted mine, once known as Ogden, but the rockabye railroad with wheezy, catarrhal engines that meander that way when the wind is not too strong, has given it the name of Edison. There are buildings all over Edison, large buildings that walk about the premises if you press a button. In fact, they rarely do anything at Edison without pressing a button. But one must know which buttons to press.

When you reach the place no one



The Kinetograph.

pays much attention to you. That is one of its dangerous fascinations.

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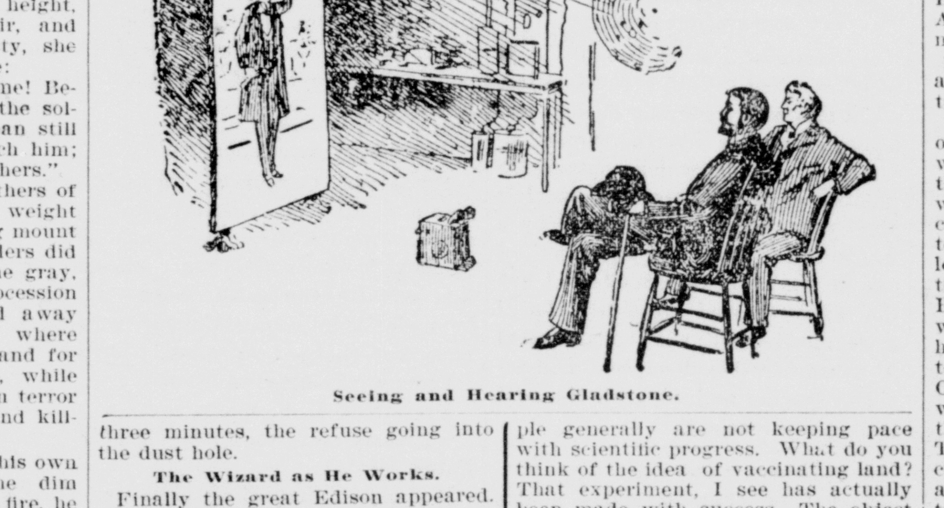
"But can I see Mr. Edison?"

"I don't know. The old man's around somewhere. Go to that red building."

Easier said than done, for the big, red building begins to move timidly away the moment you get near it, stops when you stop, advances when you advance, and is altogether a will of the wisp of architecture.

Finally it hove to and was boarded. It is an office and they pressed a button, found out Mr. Edison's exact location, said he would be along presently, and then began to break up mountains.

Breaking up mountains is a very simple process. It is begun, of course, by pressing a button. A huge bowlder is detached from the solid rock, carried on a movable hod as large as a barn, dropped upon a pair of huge iron wheels and shivered into cobblestones. The cobbles, whirled aloft in trays or troughs, come down dust, and the grains of iron they contain are picked out magnetically. A three-ton bowlder is splintered into fine iron in



Seeing and Hearing Gladstone.

three minutes, the refuse going into the dust hole.

The Wizard as He Works.

Finally the great Edison appeared. He was terribly dirty. He looked, so far as attire is concerned, like a navvy. He was all grime and dust. But his face was that of a bright, blue-eyed youth, beautifully blue eyed and smiling. Not until he took his vile, ash-covered hat off did the gray hair reveal that he is no longer young in years. His face is almost free from wrinkles.

"We are progressing, progressing," he said, when informed that his retreat had been invaded for the purposes of getting information concerning the latest and the greatest of his inventions, the one which is being eagerly awaited and which very few have had a chance to see. That is the combination of the phonograph with the kinetoscope, the contrivance to which Mr. Edison applied the term kinetograph on this occasion.

"The object of this machine," he said, "is to afford the spectator two inventions in one. That is, two senses are simultaneously appealed to. Suppose, we will say, an opera is to be reproduced. The phonograph already repeats the sound. The kinetoscope affords a view of the movements. Now, however, we wish to combine the two and combine them far more effectively than ever their distinct elements have heretofore been rendered by separate instruments.

"Thus, if one wished to hear and see the concert or the opera, it would only be necessary to sit down at home, look upon a screen and see the performance, reproduced exactly in every movement and at the same time the voices of the players and singers, the music of the orchestra, the various sounds that accompany a performance of this sort, will be reproduced exactly. The end attained is a perfect illusion. One really hears and sees the play, because the conditions precedent to the suitable impressions upon the eye and ear are obtained."

Mr. Edison's hearing has improved very much in the past year, owing, perhaps, to his perfect physical condition. He spoke well and distinctly, and is never, apparently, as much impressed with the wonders he performs as are his workmen.

He was asked if ordinary sights and scenes, the Pope in the Vatican, or a speech at a mass meeting, could be as effectively handled.

"Far more easily," he replied, "that is the least difficult part of the problem. Even now, the spectator could be treated to a perfect reproduction of Gladstone making a speech to the house of commons. This would be shown of life size and, so far as the spectator is concerned, would be the real scene. For every word, every gesture of the grand old man, the gestures of each spectator and the sounds made on the occasion would be reproduced exactly. And, of course 200 years hence the same scene could be thrown up at will—a new way of recording history, you see."

"Is not the mechanism very complicated?"

"Not more so than that of the kinetoscope and the phonograph, and the difficulty of photographic apparatus in minute fractions of a second. Certain ashes of motion, are caught in ten forty-ninths of a second. But in preserving them and in their reproduction, out or two obstacles are met with. The negative itself is very small not much larger than your thumb nail. In reproducing these postures and movements great care is necessary in maintaining proportions.

Niceties of Adjustment.

To throw upon a screen a series of movements, each taking up an interval of time not longer, perhaps than a fifth part of ten forty-ninths of a second, and at the same time to insure fidelity is the problem. As it is, there are occasional distortions. If a movement in the reproduction be not, so to speak, run out consecutively, that is, if a change of posture be not accurately photographed, although the movement occupied but the two hundredth part of a second, the effect will be distorted. Hence the extreme nicety required in the mechanism."

"Perhaps to-morrow," said Mr. Edison, "we may perfect the machinery. Perhaps we shall have to work another year upon it. In truth, it is a very simple matter. It consists merely in adjusting thoroughly understood principles to a new contrivance made up of old contrivances. Were it not that we have such infinitely small sections of time to deal with there would be no difficulty at all. But, as I have told you, we know how to overcome the difficulty. We simply lack practice."

"Does it make any difference of what nature the representation to be produced is?"

"At present, yes. In time, however, it will not. The reproduction of such sights and sounds as those enacted in the opening of congress would be very easy. The spectator could sit down in his drawing room or office and have the whole scene enacted in front of him. Nor would any special apartment or any particular preparation be necessary. But, with a grand opera, it would be more difficult. One must exercise great care in securing the ensemble. There are myriads of details connected with the tones, the gestures, the dress, the colors, the light, and such like. It is proposed to give these with scrupulous fidelity. Hence the temporary cessation of progress. Although we could give all these impressions with comparative exactness, it is intended to be perfectly faithful to the original. It never does to perpetrate a half performance. It is disappointing and apt to shake confidence in an invention. For myself, I have no doubt whatever of the outcome. Before many years we will have grand opera in every little village at 10c a head—and the very highest grand opera. You will hear and see Patti in your own parlor. She will be heard a hundred years after her death, and seen and will move and thrill her auditors in 3010. The president's inauguration can be treated in the same way. Pope Leo and his cardinals may be seen and heard for unnumbered centuries to come."

Its Value in History.

Mr. Edison's blue eyes lighted up with enthusiasm.

"What a way to write history," he repeated, echoing the words of his questioner. "Well, I had never thought of that, particularly, and yet it is a way to write it, isn't it? How much more effectively one could convey to future generations an idea of the president than words and writing could. In fact, written records would cease to have their historical importance."

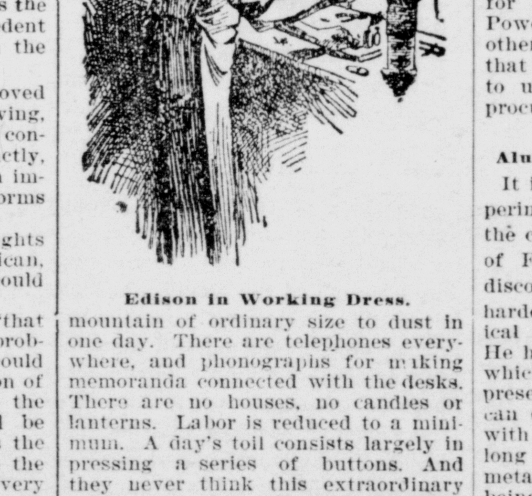
Another use for the invention namely, the sentimental one, had not occurred to Mr. Edison either. Yet the machine ought to be welcomed by lovers—it insures the perpetual presence of the adored one. Has not the poet said:

Could I but hear her voice,
Could I but see her face.
Why do the gods deny the gifts poor
mortals long for most?

But Mr. Edison was not yet born in Camoen's time.

"Yet," went on the wizard, "these things are not as wonderful as they seem. It appears to me that the people generally are not keeping pace with scientific progress. What do you think of the idea of vaccinating land? That experiment, I see has actually been made with success. The object of this process is to improve the quality of the soil. The law of diminishing returns, so long an important factor in political economy, is thus overcome. To explain the method employed so as to be comprehensible to the popular mind is not easy. You see, certain roots of plants which flourish in inferior soils have been ascertained to nourish a parasite. The parasites afford the plant through their organic functions strength and vitality. In return the parasites are fed and sustained by certain properties of the root. One supports the other, and the two together have a decided effect upon the soil in which they grow. Now, this process of nature has been successfully applied by science. What we may term an agricultural miss is obtained, and the impoverished soil into which it is introduced is almost at once bettered. The process is permanently fertilizing, and can not fail to effect, in time, a revolution in farming."

Here a button was pressed somewhere in the remote regions, and Mr. Edison rastened away. The "Plant," as he calls the wierd agglomeration at Edison, is being enlarged from day to day. In about six weeks it will be completed, and to-day has a very strange look. It contains the only stone-breaker in the world of its extraordinary kind. It will reduce a



Edison in Working Dress.

mountain of ordinary size to dust in one day. There are telephones everywhere, and phonographs for making memoranda connected with the desks. There are no houses, no candles or lanterns. Labor is reduced to a minimum. A day's toil consists largely in pressing a series of buttons. And they never think this extraordinary in the queer place. Even the 'prentice boys are very scientific. They release the giant forces of nature and hold them in check again. Edison is the Nimrod of this electrical game reserve, with his pack running and gamboling all about him.

A Saddening Sight.

First Tramp—Lookee here, Jim. Here's a man been killed on the railroad; all cut to bits.

Second Tramp (sadly)—Too bad! too bad! Thim clothes would 'a' just about fit me, and they's all spoiled.—New York Weekly.

Cold Bluff, Anyhow.

She—What does it mean when a man threatens to commit suicide because you refuse him?

The Widower—It means he prefers the refrigerator to the frying-pan.—Life.

Boone and the Indians.

Boone frequently took to the field on set expeditions against the savages. Once when he and a party of other men were making salt at a lick, they were surprised and carried off by the Indians. The old hunter was a prisoner with them for some months, but finally made his escape and came home through the trackless woods as straight as the wild pigeon flies. He was ever on the watch to ward off the Indian inroads, and to rescue the prisoners.

Once his own daughter and two other girls who were with her were carried off by a band of Indians. Boone collected some friends and followed them steadily for two days and a night; then they came to where the Indians had killed a buffalo calf, and were camped. Firing from a little distance, they shot two Indians, and, rushing in, rescued the girls.

On another occasion when Boone had gone to visit a salt-lick with his brother, the Indians ambushed them and shot the latter. Boone himself escaped, but the Indians followed him for three miles by the aid of a tracking dog, until Boone turned, shot the dog, and then eluded the pursuers. In company with Simon Kenton and many of the noted hunters and wilderness warriors, he once and again took part in perilous expeditions into the Indian country. Twice bands of Indians accompanied by French, Tory, and British partisans from Detroit, bearing the flag of Great Britain, attacked Boonesborough. In each case Boone and his fellow-settlers beat them off with loss.

At the fatal battle of the Blue Licks, in which two hundred of the best riflemen of Kentucky were beaten with terrible slaughter by a great force of Indians from the lakes, Boone commanded the left wing. Leading his men, rifle in hand, he pushed back and overthrew the force against him; but meanwhile the Indians destroyed the right wing and center, and got in the rear, so that there was nothing for Boone's men except to flee with all speed.—Theodore Roosevelt in May St. Nicholas.

To manufacturers like the Royal Baking Powder Company, the public is under a large debt of gratitude for the increased purity of articles of food sold at the present day. The reports of the official Government investigations of baking powders show the Royal to be stronger and purer than any other. It is quite evident that neither ingenuity, science nor expense can in any way improve upon the Royal Baking Powder as now before the public.

JAPANESE AS HUSTLERS.

They Have Invaded Chicago Trade and Propose to Stay.

Japanese enterprise has found in Chicago a promising field for a wholesale business in fat checked gods with unpronounceable names and expressions of acute idiocy, and other articles of vertu from the land of the mikado. One firm will soon be prepared to furnish to the trade at the usual discounts a choice line of lares and penates in porcelain, wood, ivory and other materials, embroidered silks ornamental articles of furniture in carved teakwood, dainty porcelains decorated in designs that only the brain of a Japanese artist could conceive, bronzes and antiquities. The firm has been doing a profitable business on State street since the first of last December. They learned the ways of the Caucasian merchant so rapidly that they have already started an auction for "closing up their retail establishment at a great sacrifice."

This is the only Japanese firm doing business in the city at present. During the fair there was a firm on Adams street and another in a basement on Wabash avenue, but they did not find their ventures profitable, and went out of the business some time ago.

"The Japanese are hustlers," said one of the firm, "and I see no reason why we should not get our share of the trade. We expect to get it anyway. Most of the Japanese who have come to America so far have come to study. We have been too busy learning the ways of western civilization to pay much attention to trade. But now that Japan has earned her way in the list of first-class powers her people can devote more attention to business. The Japanese colony in Chicago is small. Six are connected with this firm and there are not more than eighteen others in the city. There is not a Japanese woman in the city at present. There were some here a year ago, but they have returned to Japan. The Japanese are not clannish; they do not flock together in any particular section, but are scattered all over the city. Most of them live on the south side."

The Japanese unlike the Chinese, cling to none of the customs of their native land. They wear European clothes of good material. All speak English, and they board at American hotels and eat plain American hotel fare.

Solid Yet Elastic.

In its present elaborate form the hoof of a horse is the most perfect instrument of support which has been devised in the animal kingdom to uphold a large and swiftly moving animal in its passage over the ground. The original toe-nail, and the neighboring soft parts connected with it, have been modified into a structure which in an ordinary manner combines solidity with elasticity, so that it may strike violent blows upon the hard surface of the earth without harm. The result is that the horse can carry a greater weight at a swifter speed than any other animal approaching it in size.—Prof. N. S. Shaler in Scribner's.

Royal Baking Powder is the purest and highest in strength of any of the baking powders, and hence makes more, finer and better food. These are the official facts as set forth by the U. S. Government and the various State Chemists' reports. Of course great efforts will be made by those interested in the sale of the cheaper made, alum powders, to continue their sale where consumers have made up their minds to have the Royal and call for it at their grocers. The Royal Powder is so much superior to all the other preparations for quick raising, that it will amply repay housekeepers to use the necessary persistency to procure it in spite of all objections.

Aluminum Successfully Hardened.

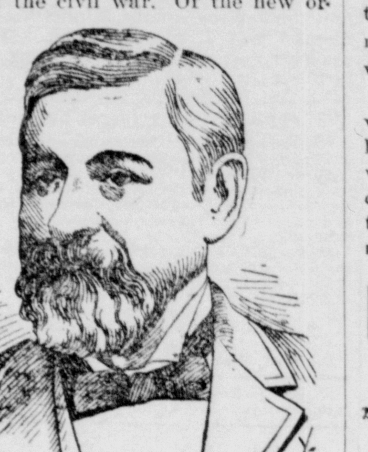
It is stated that the successful tempering of aluminum, so as to give it the consistency of iron, is a discovery of F. Allard of Quebec, whose rediscovery of the lost Egyptian art of hardening copper startled the mechanical world three or four years ago. He has made and hardened a cannon, which has just been tested in the presence of Colonel Spence, the American consul, and a number of others, with success. This cannon is 28 inches long and 5 inches in diameter, the metal of the gun outside of the bore being only one-quarter of an inch thick. A charge consisting of a pound of powder was fired out of this without any appreciable effect upon it. A new and scientific trial of the cannon has been ordered by the Canadian military authorities and the United States consul. Allard has been asked to manufacture as soon as possible a cannon 12 feet long for direct shipment to Washington.

"Dr. Trousseau, surgeon to the Quinze-Vingts Eye hospital," says the Paris correspondent of the Lancet, "gives the preference for innocuity to incandescent electric light, and assigns second place to petroleum lamps, which may advantageously be employed for ordinary purposes. He condemns in toto the light yielded by oil, and more particularly that given by candles. The gas jet is the more hurtful to the eye, its only recommendation being its convenience."

CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

They Contemplate Organizing a New Association.

When the United States Confederate Veterans meet at Houston, Texas, in May, one of the important matters to be consummated will be the organization of a national association, in which it is desired to enroll as many as possible of the Confederate veterans of the civil war. Of the new or-



Gen. S. D. Lee.

ganization it is thought that Stephen D. Lee will be president. He is a resident of Mississippi and is commander of one of the two departments of the United Confederate Veterans. At the meeting in Houston will be determined the location and general plans of the institution, the money for which will be raised by subscription.

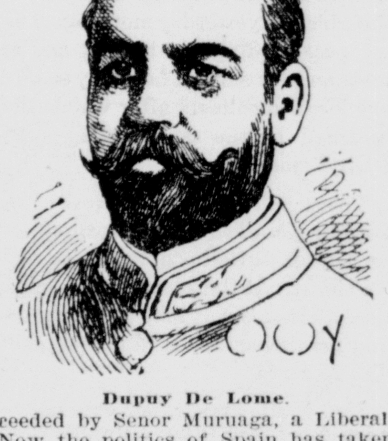
Popular Electrical Theories.

A history of popular misconceptions on electrical subjects would make entertaining reading. The superintendent of a California electric light station tells that among a thousand puzzling inquiries that were addressed to him on the night that the electric light was started in his city was the poser: "Where its the hole in the wire that the juice comes through?" An electrical supply firm in Nova Scotia has lately received the following letter from a Cape Breton correspondent: "Will you kindly let me know all the particulars about the incandescent lamps which you have advertised in the Recorder? That is, what is used in them—is it kerosene oil, etc., or, if not, what is it? And can the material be easily obtained? I am desirous of getting one or more of them, and would like to know all about them." A well-known London weekly paper gravely publishes among its bits of electrical information the announcement that "A German electrician recently hived a swarm of bees by the use of electricity. He passed a powerful current through the bough of the tree on which they clustered, and the shock caused them to fall stupefied to the ground. Before they had time to recover he had them collected and placed in a new hive." An inventive genius, who hails from Columbus, O., has discovered that "if two dissimilar conductors of electricity which are subject to slight atomic change under the influence of sound are joined together, after the manner of a pair of thermauile bars, and the open ends are insulated by a suitable non-conductor of both sound and electricity, a current is generated when sounds are made in the vicinity of the exposed ends. If two or more such elements are connected together we have an acoustic battery, and by increasing the number of elements it is possible to operate an ordinary call bell by simply clapping the hands in front of the exposed ends of the battery." This sounds impressive. The way in which the inventor proposes to turn his inspired idea to account is to establish an electrical perpetual motion, and among other things to wind clocks by the noise of their own pendulums, and lights shops by the noise of the machinery. A contemporary says: "By this scheme also an auctioneer may yet run an electrical cash system with the sound of his own voice; some janitor by the force of his profanity may store up electricity enough to ring a church bell; policemen in noisy boots could furnish street lights; the mooing cows may furnish power to cut their own fodder, and a barking dog may keep an electric light burning by and by on the lawn."

THE SPANISH MINISTER.

Dupuy de Lome Appointed to Succeed Muruaga.

Especial interest is felt in this country at this time in the change of Spanish Minister to the United States on account of the Alliance affair. Senor de Lome was the Spanish Minister at Washington three years ago, serving only six months, and being succeeded by Muruaga. He is a conservative, which, in part, led to his being suc-



Dupuy De Lome.

ceeded by Senor Muruaga, a Liberal. Now the politics of Spain has taken another shift, and Mr. De Lome is sent back to his former station. He also served in this country as one of Spain's World's Fair Commissioners, the post being particularly important at a time when one of Spain's royal family, Princess Eulalie, visited the World's Fair.

The Value of Sight.

A sunbeam is a small thing, yet it has a power to fade the carpets and curtains, to rot the blinds, and for this reason some folks carefully exclude the sunshine. What is the result? The family is always ailing, the young girls have a waxen, white skin and a weary pinched expression, of countenance. Their appetites fail, they fall into such a bad state of health that the doctor is called in. In olden days he would have shaken his head, perhaps, and friends would have whispered that dreaded word "decline!" Nowadays he notes the pale gums and waxen skin and says "anaemia;" prescribes iron and milk, fresh air, and exercise and often a change. If he knows nothing about the darkened rooms, he will be puzzled as to why no permanent improvement manifests itself, and, possibly, the patient will seek other advice.—Popular Medical Monthly.

To Manufacture Glass Pipe.

A new method of manufacturing glass pipe has been discovered which promises to revolutionize that industry. It has hitherto been found impossible to mold large glass tubes of any great length because the glass would cool while running into the mold,and the structure of the tube was not homogeneous. The new method consists of using a mold with a movable piston. The piston is just enough smaller than the outer shell of the mold to allow for the thickness of the tube to be made. The piston is placed at the bottom of the mold and as the molten glass is poured in the piston is forced upward by hydraulic pressure. Pipes are made by this process in sections six feet long and are used for sewers and water pipes.

Her Excuse.

"Why would you not see me yesterday when I called?" he asked, reproachfully.

"It is Lent," said the girl, sweetly, "and I am practising self-denial."—Detroit Free Press.

That Tired Feeling

It is remarkable how many people there are who have That Tired Feeling and seem to think it is of no importance or that nothing need be done for it. They would not be so careless if they realized how really serious the malady is. But they think or say, "It will go off after a while."

We do not mean the legitimate weariness which all experience after a hard day's work, but that all-gone, worn-out feeling which is especially overpowering in the morning, when the body should be refreshed and ready for work. It is often only the forerunner of nervous prostration, with all the horrible suffering that term implies. That Tired Feeling and nervousness are sure indications of an impure and impoverished condition of the blood. The craving of the system for help can only be met by purifying the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one great blood purifier. It expels all impurities, gives vitality and strength, regulates the digestion and makes the weak strong.

"In the spring I felt very much run down—no strength or appetite. I began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and my appetite improved and I did not have that tired feeling." H. R. Squires, East Leverett, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Makes Pure Blood.

Little Slaves in England.

"Does slavery survive in England?" asks the London "Christian World," and this is the answer: "After reading Saturday's 'special' number of the 'Schoolmaster' on the subject of 'Half-timers,' we find it difficult to answer in the negative. An inspector writes: "I examined a child who rose at 5:30 worked at a mill, and then walked a couple of miles to examination. Another girl of 11 rose soon after 5 a. m., and walked through the frost and snow nearly two miles to the mill. Work commenced at 6 and continued till 8:30, when there was an interval for breakfast—the child not leaving the mill. At 9 work again till 12:30'—six hours in all—'and then dinner at the mill. At 1:30 the child trudged off to school.' How many British children are liable to this sort of experience? Not less than 170,000! Shame on us!" Such facts are a shame indeed, to any civilized not to say Christian community.

Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away

Is the truthful, startling title of a book about No-To-Bac, the harmless, guaranteed tobacco habit cure that braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminates the nicotine poison, makes weak men gain strength, vigor, and manhood. You run no physical or financial risk, as No-To-Bac is sold by Druggists everywhere, under a guarantee to cure or money refunded. Book free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago.

Electricity in the Kitchen.

Electricity, though it seems to come into house-furnishing slowly, except for lighting, is, evidently, to be the hope and dependence of the coming housekeeper. Some sanguine ones promise in five years small elevators for private houses that will run by a button, and in the kitchen domain the magic electrical spark is to be a veritable fairy godmother. One on duty in a California restaurant is already removing the odor of cooking food. The proprietor introduced an electric exhaust fan with the happiest results. The fan, which is operated by a small motor, draws up the heated air and smells of the kitchen, and drives them up a shaft, whence they escape into the outer air.

A Poisonous Mist.

This fitly describes miasma, a vaporous poison which breeds chills and fever, bilious remittent, dumb ague, ague cake, and in the tropics deadly typhoid forms of fever. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters prevents and cures these complaints. Biliousness, constipation, dyspepsia, nervous and kidney trouble, rheumatism, neuralgia and impaired vitality are also remedied by the great restorative.

Lions Ate the Bear.

From Lemberg our Vienna correspondent learns that a terrible battle has been fought the railway station at Rawaruska. A menagerie was being conveyed by rail, and when the train stopped at the station a great noise was heard. The guards went to wagons containing the wild beasts and found that the wooden partitions which separated three lionesses from three bears and these again from three hyenas broken down and the animals engaged in battle. One bear was missing. The lions had eaten him, skin and all. They had bitten another bear's paw off and a hyena lay dead on the floor. Two lions in a neighboring compartment remained calm. No one dared interfere between the fighting beasts until the owner arrived in a sledge and separated them —not before he had been bitten by a bear, however. He claims damages from the railway administration because the partitions gave away.—London Daily News.

Hegeman's Camphor Ice with Glycerine.
Cures Chapped Hands and Face, Tender or Sore Feet, Chilblains, Piles, &c. C. G. Clark Co., New Haven, Ct.

English As She Is Spoke.

"Who was that member of parliament who said that all men who differed from him were dead wrong, and who refused to give anything to the shipwrecked sailors?"

"A liberal, I believe."—Tit Bits.

A Sure Sign.

On the Japanese Warship—First officer—There's a cruiser reported a little ahead.

Second Officer—Chinese?

First Officer—No, sir. She's headed this way.—Sing Sing Courier.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething.

The Wisest Man.

Teacher—Who was the wisest man of ancient history?

Willie Doo—Some people say it was Solomon, but I think it was Noah. He knew enough to come in out of the wet, anyway.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

For Appearance.

Mother—How is it that you get so many bad marks at school?

Little Johnny—Well, the teacher has got to mark somebody or else folks will think she ain't attending to her business.—Tit Bits.

"Hanson's Magic Corn Salve."
Warranted to cure or money refunded. Ask your druggist for it. Price 15 cents.

In South America.

Donna Inez—What is that rumbling noise in the street? It makes me nervous.

Don Manuel—Don't be frightened, dear. It is only a revolution; or, perhaps an earthquake.—Puck.

I am entirely cured of hemorrhage of the lungs by Piso's Cure for Consumption.—Louisa Lindaman, Bethany, Mo., Jan. 8, '94.

Uncomfortable Meals.

Mrs. Muggs—So you are not going to Mrs. Lugg's party?

Mrs. Puggs—No, I'm not. When supper comes, she always tells about a lot of nice things she intended to get, but couldn't.—New York Weekly.

Mothers appreciate the good work of Parker's Ginger Tonic, with its reviving qualities—a boon to the pain-stricken, sleepless and nervous

It is a mistake that nothing is lost by politeness. Anybody who has given up his seat in a street car knows that.

When you come to realize that your corns are gone, and no more pane, how grateful you feel. All the work of Hindercorns. 15c

Where Will It Stop.

"And now they are actually calling a new butter after Du Maurier's heroine!"

"No—impossible!"

'Yes. Tompkins calls his new goat Trilby.—Detroit Free Press.

When a man attempts to warm his hands at a hotel register it is time to inquire into his mental condition.

As Hot as Sahara.

The great Sahara Desert of Africa is regarded as the hottest region in the world. The vast plain which extends 2,000 miles from east to west, and 1,000 miles from north to south, has a temperature of 150 degrees Fahrenheit in the hottest days of summer. This is about the temperature of the hot room in the Turkish bath. It is said that the caravans which usually consist of from 500 to 2,000 camels, with their assistants, experience great suffering through the intense heat and the deprivation of water, as the distance between wells very often exceed ten days. There are numerous instances on record where whole tribes have perished from thirst, as the wells and springs to which they had journeyed had been dried up by the heat. It would be impossible for any but the acclimatized Moors, Berbers and Arabs to live, even for a day, in the heart of the rainless Sahara. In spite of the fact that the days are extremely hot the nights are nearly always uncomfortably cold, and the travelers are obliged to burden themselves with blankets in order to endure the change.—Brooklyn Eagle.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O., Props. of Hall's Catarrh Cure, offer $100 reward for any case of catarrh that can not be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for testimonials, free. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Beautifying an Old Book.

In a beautiful old home in the lower part of this city there are three long drawing rooms. A number of small and exquisitely carved or inlaid tables are placed about the rooms, upon every one of which are articles of rare beauty, and always a few books. Of these there are both old and new but attention is always attracted to one little white volume. The old and battered white silk, richly embroidered almost to the edges with colored silks in roses and leaves. The silk has been fitted closely to the old cover, and fly-leaves of the silk also slipped into it. The book itself was a collection of old letters, printed years ago, when s's were f's and type not so good as today. The leaves were yellow with age and crumpled about the edges, but it was a valuable book, and the ingenious cover was not only effective but practical.—Philadelphia Record.

Lives in Hopes.

Fashionable Philanthropy—Englishman—Why is it you Hamericans copy the Hinglish?

American—We are in hopes you Englishmen will see how it looks and get disgusted with yourselves.—Atlanta Constitution.

Plenty of Water.

Clerk—That house you let to Mr. and Mrs. Suburb has nothing but a cistern and that is fifty feet from the door. You told them was water in the house.

Agent—So there is. The cellar's half full.—Tit Bits.

A Temperance Town.

He (rapturously)—How beautiful you are! Just to gaze into your eyes intoxicates me.

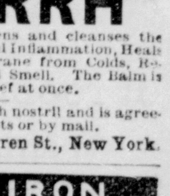
She (in alarm)—Hush-sh-sh. Don't speak of it. This is a local option town and I may be arrested and fined.—Detroit Free Press.

Dr. PIERCE'S
FAVORITE
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FOR
WEAK WOMEN.

On first introducing this world-famed medicine to the afflicted, and for many years thereafter, it was sold under a **Positive Guarantee** of giving entire satisfaction in every case for which it is recommended. So uniformly successful did it prove in curing the diseases, derangements and weaknesses of women that claims for the return of money paid for it were exceedingly rare. Since its manufacturers can now point to thousands of noted cures effected by it in every part of the land, they believe its past record a sufficient guarantee of its great value as a curative agent, therefore, they *now* rest its claims to the confidence of the afflicted *solely* upon that record. By all medicine dealers.

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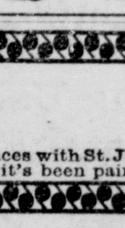
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Local News Notes.

Lace curtains as cheap as the cheapest at Parkers.

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Mrs. Sarah L. Sleeper went to Minneapolis on Tuesday.

Hon. J. C. Flynn, of Little Falls, was in the city on Wednesday.

R. H. Jamison and G. N. Grant, of Tacoma, are here visiting with Harry Otis.

Chief of Police Wheeler, of St. Cloud, was in the city on Wednesday on business.

A base ball and bat given away with every boy's suit of clothes by J. F. McGinnis & Co.

A. F. Ferris went to St. Paul on Tuesday on business connected with the taking of the census.

John Bubar has been in St. Cloud and Minneapolis this week on business connected with the N. P. Clarke embarrassment.

N. P. Lawrence, a newspaper man from Minneapolis, was in the city Wednesday, on his way to the Leech Lake country.

Repairs on the bridge crossing the ravine have been in progress this week, which necessitated the transfer of street car travel over the wagon bridge.

Louis Vossberg came up from St. Cloud Tuesday to cast his lot with the Brainerd base ball aggregation. Mr. Vossberg is said to be a valuable acquisition to the team.

W. H. Workman, has severed his connection with the Little Falls Transcript to accept the district management of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Milwaukee.

The depot of the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota railroad has been moved to a site near the old brick yard. The change was made because the company desired more room for side tracks.

A valuable horse belonging to A. Drapeau, the feed man, was killed on Tuesday. The horse stepped on the end of a board which flew up and cat a gash a foot long in the animal, which was afterwards shot.

Geo. D. LaBar, cashier of the First National Bank of Brainerd, was in town on business last Monday. He has promised to assist our village council in advantageously placing the electric light bonds.—Aitkin Age.

Rev. Geo. West left on Tuesday for New York, from which place he will sail for his old home in Ireland, where he will spend the greater part of the summer. Mrs. West accompanied him as far as Minneapolis, where she will remain until his return.

Messrs. Johnson and Thielman, of Brainerd, rode down from that city on their bicyles yesterday morning. They were escorted about the city and entertained for several hours by some of our local wheelmen, after which they returned by the same route.—Little Falls Transcript.

There will be a tea given in the Guild room of the Episcopal church on Tuesday afternoon, tea from 6 to 8 o'clock. At the same time a sale of useful articles will take place. Ladies and gentlemen are cordially invited. Tea 25 cents.

Mr. Fred Puhler, an experienced newspaper man from Milwaukee, has been employed by the Journal as a general all-around man, and begins his work today.—Stevens Point, (Wis.) Journal.

Mr. Puhler was formerly proprietor of this paper, and previous to that lived at Ada, where he was postmaster and newspaper man combined.

The ladies of the Eastern Star entertained a number of their friends very pleasantly with progressive euchre on Monday evening at their rooms in Columbian Block. Quite a goodly sum of money was raised, and instead of giving the usual prizes, the proceeds were donated to the Woman's Relief Corps to purchase flowers for Decoration Day.

The logging situation is sized up in the following telegram from Aitkin: Log driving in this vicinity has been a failure this year, and all attempts at it have ceased. The water is so low in the small streams that there is small prospect of any successful driving before June. Some of the lumbermen have sent up crews, but have been compelled to lay up and wait for water. Plenty of rain has fallen for the purpose of the farmers, however, and they are in good spirits.

C. N. Parker informs us that work will be commenced on the Brainerd telephone system next week, and that the same will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, probably a month will be consumed before it is in working condition. In the business part of the city the poles will be erected in the alleys in order to avoid the electric light wires and street car trolley. There are at present something over 50 subscribers, and it is expected that by the time the system is in operation that the number will be increased to 75 or 80. The improvement will be a success from the start.

Stockings for boys, the best for the money at Parkers.

Mrs. Grandelmyer went to Minneapolis on Thurday on business.

A new steamboat is being fitted up by A. Lessard to be put on Gull lake.

Robert Patrick, a former resident here, has been visiting Brainerd friends during the week.

The Staples World says that Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Harmon have a 9-pound daughter at their house since Tuesday.

You can get a strictly all wool suit made to order for $13.50, and pants for $4, at P. F. Mauer's, Sleeper block, up-stairs.

Harmon & Campbell, the Laurel street grocery firm have dissolved partnership, Mr. Harmon continuing the business.

N. B. Chase left on Tuesday to resume his position with the party of men who are estimating timber on the Chippewa Indian lands in Northern Minnesota.

The Rev. C. S. W. Pentreath, of Winnipeg, has accepted the call to St. Paul's Episcopal Church in this city, and will commence his duties here on June 4th.

Pap Thomas Post G. A. R. have appointed the following committees to arrange for the Memorial Day services: Transportation—Comrades Paine and Reuss. Grounds—Comrades Paine and Hagadorn. Decorations—Comrade Healey.

On Monday evening next the Board of Trade will hold its regular meeting at which time there will be matters of importance to come up. One of the matters to be discussed is the taking of the census, and it is hoped a large attendance will be present.

A man by the name of Walter Allen died suddenly ten miles up the river at Seeley's Landing of heart disease on Wednesday night. The deceased was in the employ of the boom company, and on retiring complained of not feeling well. Later on in the night he aroused the crew and died in a very short time. His remains were brought to this city and interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

At a meeting of the Board of Education on Monday evening it was decided to close the schools on Tuesday, May 8th, for the summer vacation. The election of a principal for the Whittier school was taken up and A. E. Fritz was chosen to fill the position. The resignation of Miss Mary Fuller was accepted. The finance committee was authorized to make a loan to cover the pay roll and monthly expenses.

O. B. Johnson, who has been in the employ of Slipp Bros. for some years, was very pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening by a number of his friends at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage. Mr. Johnson leaves for his old home in Sweden on Monday next, and the surprise was gotten up in honor of the event. Several very fine presents were tendered him, Rev. Eckman making the presentation speech, and the evening was very pleasantly passed.

During the heavy storm of Friday evening last lightning struck the Baptist and Presbyterian churches almost simultaneously. At the latter place a church entertainment was in progress and the church was full of people, but luckily no one was injured, although the structure was badly damaged. At the Baptist church the bolt came down through the kitchen in the rear of the building, scattering the furniture and doing considerable damage. Luckily Mr. and Mrs. Fred Regan, who occupy the apartments, had just left the room when the crash came.

J. C. Congdon came up from Brainerd on Friday to look after seeding operations on his big farm east of the city. He inveigled the Journal man into taking a ride out there with him and we called at several farm houses and saw many crops ere our return. We found that the early sown wheat is up and growing nicely, as well as some pieces of oats. Very little flax is sown as yet and it is quite early for that, for if a frost should catch it when first up it would cook it like buckwheat—result, no flax crop. J. C. secured some flax seed and will sow fifty acres of it.—Crookston Journal.

The famous musician and composer Dr. Gustav Stolpe, is coming to Brainerd May 18th, and will give a musical entertainment at the Swedish Lutheran Church, corner 8th and Norwood, on the evening of that date. Dr. Stolpe will lecture (in Swedish) very briefly and illustrate by 10 or 12 selections on the piano and violin. The musical selections will be the main feature of the program, so that even those who do not understand the lecture, but know how to appreciate music of a high grade, will be amply rewarded for coming. Tickets only 25 cents, on sale next week at McFadden's Drug Store, at the Big 9 and at M. Hagberg's.

The consideration of the case of J. M. Elder vs. James New came up before the municipal court last Saturday, the result being that Mr. New was discharged. Both gentlemen are in the plumbing business in this city and the misunderstanding between them arose from the fact that Mr. New had tapped the mains of the Minnesota Water Works Co. while the company had made the rule that such work should be done under their own supervision. The charge for this work was $8 and the price was considered exhorbitant by the other plumbing institutions in this city, hence the refusal of Mr. New to pay the price, followed by the refusal of the Minnesota Water Works Co. to issue a permit to Mr. New unless the price was paid. In the face of this the gentleman went ahead and tapped the main and his arrest was caused with the above result.

Boy's suits from $1.25 up, the cheapest in the city at Parker's.

Crossed the Dark River.

Mrs. P. K. Johnson, aged 72 years, died at the residence of her son, C. D. Johnson, in this city, on Thursday, May 9th, of heart trouble and the infirmities of old age.

The maiden name of the deceased was Laura Bivins, and she was born in Erie county, N. Y., near Buffalo in 1823, where she lived until 1848, coming in that year to St. Paul, where she was united in marriage to P. K. Johnson, who survives her, two years later. In 1852 her husband located the present city of Mankato, and the year following she went there with him, where they resided for over 40 years. About three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Johnson came to Brainerd and have since made their home with their children here. The deceased was a lady of estimable character, and her death, although not unexpected, will cause a pang of sorrow to her many friends in this city and in other portions of the state. Her children, Mrs. N. McFadden, C. D. Johnson, F. B. Johnson and Wm. Johnson, all reside in this city, and to them and her aged husband the sympathy of the community is extended.

The funeral services will be held to-morrow (Saturday) morning from the residence of C. D. Johnson on 5th street north, Rev. T. M. Edmands officiating.

J. B. Sargent, aged 73 years, died at the Lumberman's Hospital in this city on Monday, May 6th, of cancer of the liver.

The deceased was born in Ohio in January, 1822, and lived there until he was 16 years old, when he settled at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, and resided there and in that vicinity until thirteen years ago. He spent some time in Nebraska, but the latter part of his life in this state. He was a member of the Mt. Vernon Masonic lodge, and his remains were taken to that place by his son, Charles Sargent, on Tuesday afternoon, where they were interred under Masonic ceremonies on Thursday. The deceased was a gentleman highly respected by all who knew him. Mrs. Eliza Laughlin, of Lisbon, N. D., Mrs. E. Lynn, of State Center, Iowa, and Chas. Sargent, of Gilmore City, Iowa, his children, were with him during the last week of his illness.

Took His Foot Off.

On Monday evening as the Duluth passenger train was starting out from the depot west a tramp by the name of James E. Costain, attempted to swing under the sleeper, by means of the rods which run under the car, onto the brake beam. Being somewhat under the influence of liquor he missed his hold and fell onto the track between the rails, the wheels crushing his right foot so that amputation at the ankle was necessary. He was taken to the Lumbermen's Hospital, where the operation was performed.

Removed the Roof.

A Northern Pacific freight train which reached Duluth at 9 o'clock last night met with a peculiar mishap yesterday afternoon, says the News-Tribune. The train, which contained a number of wheat cars, had just left McGregor when it was struck by a windstorm. With the exception of one car the train was not affected, but the wind removed the entire top of one car loaded with wheat, and carried it a considerable distance. The accident was not noticed until the next station was reached.

Shoot at Clay Pigeons.

The Gun Club members held a special meeting on Tuesday evening at White's gun store on Laurel street, at which time Wednesday was decided upon as the regular shooting day, and the time was fixed at 9 a. m. It was decided to shoot at 15 singles, the same as last year. Outsiders who desire to shoot will be charged 50 cents for the privilege and 2 cents for every bird shot at. The electric pulls have been placed in position by Field Captain Veon, and the traps work to a charm. The grounds have been smoothed down and at each end a "danger" sign has been ordered placed in order to warn the public from coming up the bank when the shooting is in progress. The Club are arranging to hold a tournament in June.

Wednesday morning the first regular shoot of the season occurred, with the following score on 15 singles:

McClenahan	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 - 5
Courtney	1 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 - 9
Westfall	1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 - 11
Kirkwood	1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 - 10
Walker	1 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 - 7
Tache	0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 - 4
Ingersoll	0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 - 4
Mantor	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 - 13
Smith	1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 - 12
Casey	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 - 7
Keene	0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 - 8
Veon	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 - 14

A young man by the name of Hermann, son of Charles Hermann, met with an accident at the Brainerd Lumber Co.'s mill yesterday by which he lost one finger. The young man is employed in the shingle department and he accidently got his hand too near the knot saw.

Speaking of the Brainerd Lumber Company, the Lumberman says: The company is preparing to begin business as one of the leading business firms of the Northwest. Besides having an office at the point of manufacture in Brainerd, they will have offices here in Minneapolis where the bulk of the wholesale business will be done. Mr. C. F. Welles, the president of the company, will be in the Minneapolis office most of the time, and T. S. McLaughlin, who has until now been in the office of the Gull River Lumber company, will take the position of head bookkeeper at Minneapolis. At the Brainerd office E. B. McCullough, who for a number of years has been in the employ of Gardner, Batchelder & Welles, at Clinton, Iowa, will have charge. Mr. McCullough is now in Minneapolis, but will go to Brainerd the first of next week. For the present the company is occupying the office at 829 Lumber Exchange, but as soon as the Carpenter-Lamb company moves to the office at the mill, the Brainerd company will occupy the offices now occupied by them on the fifth floor.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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"Play Ball!"

The first game of base ball to be played this season by the Brainerd nine will take place on Sunday afternoon at the new grounds near the power house, at which time they will cross bats with the St. Paul Picketts, which latter team is said to be the best amateur nine in the Twin Cities. The new grounds are in first-class shape, the grand stand and fence having been completed this week. The arrangement of the grand stand is such that the spectators can view the game from the rear of the catcher, a wire netting having been so arranged as to stop the foul balls which otherwise would disturb those who occupy the grand stand seats. The price of admission to the grounds will be 25 cents, and 10 cents extra for grand stand seats, and 10 cents for children. As near as can be ascertained the Brainerd boys will line up on the diamond as follows:

Phyle, pitcher; Chas. McCarthy, catcher and left field; Burquin, short stop; Carroll, 1st base; Page, 2nd base; Hill, 3rd base; Paine, right field; Vossberg, left field and catcher; W. McCarthy, center field.

Game will be called at 3:30 sharp.

Make it Brainerd.

The Grand Rapids Magnet of this week again discusses the feasibility of improving the upper Mississippi river for navigable purposes. It quotes Hon. C. A. Towne as being in favor of the plan as also other prominent Minnesotians. The Magnet says: "It would be as well for the citizens of Grand Rapids to take the initiative in calling a public meeting and effect an organization, and through that body call a meeting of all interested, at either Brainerd, St. Cloud or Little Falls, sometime during the summer."—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

A May Wedding.

The wedding of Geo. O. Whitney to Miss Maud C. Pearce occurred on Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierce, Rev. Geo. E. Rowe performing the ceremony. The bridesmaid was Miss Ricka M. Johnson, of Audubon, and the groomsman was Harry Whitney, brother of the groom. A wedding supper was served after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney went at once to housekeeping in their home in Third avenue, in East Brainerd, which had previously been furnished for their reception. The couple are well known to all our Brainerd readers, the groom being a son of A. E. Whitney, and one of the popular employes of the Electric Railway Co.

Cemetery Association Officers.

Evergreen Cemetery Association held a meeting on Tuesday evening at which time the secretary was instructed to notify the county officials that hereafter the same charge will be made for interments by the county as are charged to other people. Officers were elected as follows:

President—L. P. White, Sr.

Secretary and treasurer—Chas. M. Patek.

Actuary—Sidney Hockridge.

Trustees—James Hayes, S. W. Martin, H. Spalding, A. Bertram, D. Doran. Chas. Barnett.

Committee on Grounds—S. W. Martin, A. Bertram, H. Spalding.

Committee on finance—S. W. Martin, James Hayes, D. Doran.

Had $5 and Heart Disease.

Mrs. Tillie Gainer, a French woman of Brainerd, was in the city several times this week looking for her husband, who had disappeared and whom she feared some accident had befallen. A week ago last Monday they started for Brainerd from Minneapolis, the husband getting off the Northern Pacific here to go to Milaca to look after a land claim, and leaving his wife and children to go on to Brainerd. She says he had $5 in his pocket, and was troubled with heart disease. Not finding him here Mrs. Gainer went to Milaca. There she learned her husband had visited the land and taken a train Tuesday for St. Cloud. She inquired at all the hotels and the hospital in the city, but failed to find any trace of her missing man. She is 30 years old and has two children. The woman is very anxious as to Gainer's whereabouts and will thankfully receive any information regarding him.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

Garrison Items.

The rain of the past few days makes the farmers in this section feel good.

School opened in District No. 25 on May 6th, with Miss M. Miller as teacher.

Mrs. David Dykeman has been visiting friends in Brainerd for the past few days.

J. C. Hessell, one of Brainerd's machine men, was a visitor in this town a few days ago.

The fishing season has opened and our local fishermen will begin their harvest in earnest.

Some of the boys say there was an exciting horse race on the west shore of Jack Pine lake a few days ago between horses owned by C. W. Cofield and John Hill, the latter coming out winner.

The North Star Literary Society was the scene of quite an exciting time at its last meeting which should not occur again. People with ill feeling towards each other should take some other means and place of settling it than at a public meeting.

U. N. O.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

Regular Council Meeting.

The council met in regular session on Monday evening with a full board present.

The minutes of the previous meet were read and the reports of the clerk, chief of police, and street commissioner for the month of April were read and accepted. The city treasurer's report from Nov. 13, 1894, to May 1, 1895, was read and referred to the finance committee.

The matter of collecting delinquent electric light rentals was left in the hands of the clerk until next regular meeting.

Bills were allowed as follows:

Pay roll city employes	$702 46
Street pay roll	210 99
Electric light pay roll	247 00
Tribune, publishing	13 80
H. M. Phillips, draying, etc.	7 83
Jas. New, plumbing	2 46
Greer & Paine, repair work	5 20
Larson & Walters, coal	4 25
Wm. Williamson, work	5 00
J. J. Howe & Co., lumber	9 57
Slipp Bros., hardware	33 87
Lyman Arms, surveying	16 00
City Hotel, boarding prisoners	44 00
Jos. Bacon, work	15 26
Geo. Creamer, 58 cords wood	28 40
Con. O'Brien, lumber	12 71
Elec. Appliance Co.	60 40
Elec. Eng. Co.	18 53
Stanley Elec. Mfg. Co.	147 00
Wm. Gergen, lumber	44 78

Bill of Oscar Wicks' of $150 for trees, was disallowed until damage done had been repaired.

Bill of T. McMaster, $50 for supplies, was laid on the table for two weeks.

Bill of N. E. Paine, $4.60, was referred to superintendent of electric lights.

The matter of examining new hose was left in the hands of the chief of fire department.

A communication from Stevens O'Brien, Cole & Albrecht, ordering the city to remove water wheel and other fixtures from the dam, was read and laid on the table.

A motion was made and carried to place a telephone in the central hose house when the system is put in.

An invitation from Pap Thomas Post to participate in the Memorial Day parade was accepted.

Wm. Skinner and Ben Lovely were granted dray licenses, and the dray license of Wm. Edwards was transferred to Joseph Atkinson.

H. Moberg & Peterson were granted liquor license, their bond being approved.

Jerome Keheler was granted a permit to erect one-story brick veneered building in the rear of Lots 7 and 8, Block 47.

The city clerk was instructed to purchase a new set of signal flags for weather service.

A motion was made and carried to appropriate $50 for Pap Thomas Post to assist in Memorial Day exercises.

The resignation of F. J. Stropp, as alderman from the First ward, was accepted, and the council adjourned.

On Friday evening, May 24th, Liberty Hose Co. No. 3, will give a grand ball at Gardner Hall, and the occasion will be a very pleasant one.

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If you want to sell city property list it with J. R. Smith.

Touch up and varnish your wagons for spring trade, at Congdon's. It will save you money.

Buy your meats at C. A. Walker & Co.'s, the finest in the city.

Consult your own interests and demonstrate your wisdom by patronizing the Dispatch for job work and advertising. Satisfaction guaranteed.

D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a new line of baby carriages.

If you want the finest beef in the city C. A. Walker & Co. has it—fresh killed native beef.

The office of J. R. Smith is the headquarters for reliable fire insurance. Room 2, Sleeper Block.

Canned salmon, sardines, etc., nice and fresh, just received at E. C. Bane & Co's.

The finest cuts of meat at all times can be obtained at the City Meat Market, Sixth street.

16 ounces to the pound *always* at M. Hagberg's.

A new stock of whips just received at W. H. Erb's harness shop on Fifth street.

Stove furnishings at the lowest prices at C. B. White's, on Laurel street, between 6th and 7th.

Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply at residence of Dr. Hemstead, 8th street, opposite opera house.

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Children's Summer Lawn Hats 12c., 20c., 25c., 29c. and 39c.

Ladies' 26 inch Gloria Sun Umbrellas, natural handles, 69c., 75c., $1 and upwards.

Challies—3c., 4c., 5c., 6c., 10c. and 12½c. per yard.

Light and Medium Summer Wash Novelties, a splendid lot, your choice of goods worth 12½c., 18c. and 20c., at the one price of 10c. per yard.

Linen Towels 15c. each, two for 25c. Cash Values.

Cashmeres and Wool Henriettas, 21c., 25c., 39c., 58c., 66c., 70c. and 90c. per yard. Cash Values Only.

Children's Hosiery 9c., 18c. and 25c. per pair, fast black, and warranted to wear.

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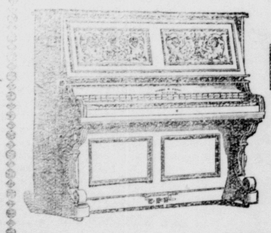
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